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# DINGEE ROSES

Our New Guide to Rose Culture



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The Leading and Oldest Rose Growers of America





## "Charles Dingee"

### The Most Wonderful Rose in the World

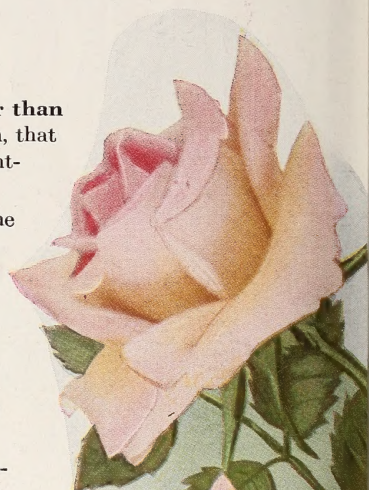
To honor the name of Charles Dingee, we have produced a **Rose better than any other variety in cultivation.** We say, without fear of contradiction, that the Charles Dingee Rose is far-and-away the best garden Rose for general planting in the world.

It is always blooming, whether it is growing for us or growing for you. The flowers are beautiful beyond description, immense in size, deep, double and grandly formed. It is hardy everywhere.

The Charles Dingee Rose is the result of cross-breeding between **Hermosa**, that grand old hardy pink variety, and **White Maman Cochet**, perhaps the greatest of all white garden Roses—a superb parentage, which insures its offspring every point of excellence. The hardy, vigorous constitution of a Hybrid Perpetual, growing to perfection in almost any soil or situation. Most magnificent foliage, absolutely free from disease.

We have had it growing and blooming in all its glory in a temperature very little above freezing. Growing to a height of 2 to 3 feet, Charles Dingee blooms continuously, producing immense, deep, double, grandly formed flowers on long, stiff, erect stems;

both in bud and bloom their beauty is nothing short of superb, practically impossible to describe because of the delicate blending of colors—rose tints in the centers of the flower, gradually shading off into pale blush creamy white, a color effect both entirely new and distinct exquisitely beautiful.



The Wonderful Bush Rose  
CHARLES DINGEE



**Caution** We are the originators and sole owners of the Charles Dingee Rose. Imitations and so-called duplicates of it are intended to deceive. If a grower state the he can furnish another rose which is the same, but under another name, don't accept such, but secure the true Charles Dingee.

Strong one-year-old plants, 30 cts. each; 4 for \$1.00; \$3.00 per dozen, postpaid. Large two-year-old plants, on own roots 85 cts. each; \$8.50 per dozen, 6 at doz. rate; 95 cts. each by Parcel Post with soil on roots; extra heavy three-year-old plants, magnificent specimens ON OWN ROOTS, \$1.25 each by express.

Gregory, S. Dakota.

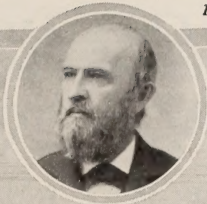
The Dingee & Conard Co., West Grove, Pa.

Gentlemen: The Charles Dingee Rose that I got of you last spring is now in bloom. Had a killing frost last night but have it well protected. It is a fine Rose. One of the best out of sixty-five that I put out last spring.

Yours truly,

Dr. J. F. Quinn.





The Birthplace of Rose Growing in America

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## FAMOUS DINGEE ROSES

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**T**HIS business established here in 1850, seventy-nine years ago by its founder, Charles Dingee, gives unanswerable proof to the old adage that "Honesty is the best policy." Built upon integrity and fair dealing, it has continued under the same family management from the beginning until now, through days of plenty and days of adversity, growing with the country from a small beginning to its present proud place as **the leading and oldest rose growing concern in America.** That it has endured and prospered is the best guarantee that our old friends as well as our new friends in 1929 may send their orders, knowing that they must have absolute satisfaction or they may take advantage of the additional guarantee that all money will be refunded on request if goods are not satisfactory when received. This applies to our friends living anywhere within the borders of the United States proper.

**We are the Pioneers of Own-Root Growing in America.** The first to send them safely to all parts of the country. The fame of the "**Dingee Roses**" extends the world over. The name "Dingee" in connection with roses, we are proud to say has the same significance as the "Sterling" mark on silver.

We come to you in this 79th year of our business life with the accumulated experience of all these years, vast equipment, immense stock of high grade plants, suitable to the home, yard or garden, taking a personal interest in every customer and bring to you as our best guarantee, a reputation for honest dealing.

We believe, and have so maintained for over 60 years, that pot-grown Rose plants on own-roots are by far the most satisfactory for the amateur planter and with few exceptions they are the kind of Roses we send out. In full foliage having an abundance of strong active working roots, once planted it is not unusual for them to last a life time. Costing more to produce than leafless, dormant field-grown plants with wild roots the season for planting them is hardly ever closed, while dormant field-grown plants must be planted in the early spring or again in the late fall and after planting they must develop roots which we develop here before the plants are sent to you—a very decided advantage and an insurance against loss. To produce Rose plants such as we sell by the millions requires an immense investment and few firms have such an equipment. These acres of glass and hardy outdoor stock of ours, with every modern equipment, represents an enormous investment extending over the life time of this business. When a better way is found to produce Roses than the manner in which we have been producing them for nearly three-quarters of a century, we will be the first to give our customers the advantage of a better Rose plant. In buying Roses, whether you buy from us or not, insist upon getting own-root plants. You will find they are the most satisfactory and permanent, easier to care for and you will not be bothered with wild shoots coming from the roots as is the case with the field-grown dormant, budded, wild root plant which unless carefully watched will quickly go back to what it is—a wild Rose of no value whatever. As long as any part of the root of a "Dingee Rose" remains alive you still have a plant that will quickly throw out strong shoots from the roots making for permanency and enduring satisfaction.

**THE DINGEE & CONARD CO.**  
West Grove, Pa.

Mrs. Charles Dingee, Pres.  
P. J. Lynch, Treasurer  
J. D. Headly, Sec. & General Mgr.

**Please Note: We have no connection with any other concern in West Grove or Elsewhere.** We are the original Rose growing firm established here by Charles Dingee in 1850—the same location—firm name unchanged, the old firm that we are frequently told served your forbears for generations past.





## New Roses

### OF RECENT INTRODUCTIONS

The Roses listed on this and the following pages comprise the best, latest and most beautiful productions of the famous Rosarians, and all land have contributed to this collection. We have spared no expense or effort in securing them. We offer them only after a careful watching of the habit and adaptability for outdoor culture suitable for our climate. The first size plants are strong and sturdy, while the two-year-old plants are magnificent, strong bushes which will take hold immediately when planted, grow vigorously and bloom profusely. These are the largest and finest Roses ever sold, and are in keeping with the high quality which has made Dingee Roses famous the world over. All grown on their own roots. Not budded except where noted, which is the usual kind secured in the new varieties. These are the best of the latest introductions, and have all proven to be just what they are represented. We therefore suggest placing your order early.

### Royal Red

**Hybrid Tea.** Color a magnificent scarlet red with almost black shading, retaining its color in the fully open flower as illustrated. Buds are large and well formed opening into full double blooms of a delightful fragrance. Good heavy dark green healthy foliage and of robust growth. Flowers are produced in great abundance throughout the growing season. An ideal garden rose.



Bud of "Royal Red"

### Rev. F. Page Roberts

**Hybrid Tea.** Illustrated in natural colors on Front Cover. Copper-red buds of good length of exquisite color and form, opening to rich Indian yellow inside with the outside petals strongly marked apricot and carmine. Rich tea fragrance. A glorified Duchess of Wellington but with more petals and deeper, richer color and better shape. Plants are of a strong growth, branching habit with healthy disease and insect resistant foliage. Each season its popularity increases and deservedly so.

**Rose Dawn (H. T.).** Bud pointed, good size, medium full. Color a soft rose flesh with yellow base. Good foliage of a light green and free from insects or disease. Profuse bloomer. Fragrant.

**Fontanelle (H. T.).** A very fine large Rose with immense petals. Deep golden yellow deepening towards the center. The whole bloom deepens in color in cool weather. Remarkable strong healthy grower for a yellow Rose.

**Dame Edith Helen (H. T.).** Winner of many medals, cups, etc., both here and abroad as one of the most valuable additions to this class. The color is a brilliant yet soft pink, and delightfully sweet scented. Strong vigorous grower. Bud long pointed opening full and double and almost a perfect flower.

**Mrs. A. R. Barraclough (H. T.).** Color a sparkling carmine pink of an even tone passing to yellow at base of the petals. The color does not fade as the flower ages but appears to become brighter. Long perfect bud developing into a full double flower of large size, very fragrant.

**Shot Silk (H. T.).** Bud ovoid medium size opening full and double. Color hard to describe, being a cherry-cerise overshot salmon orange veined buttercup yellow. Very striking. Continuous bloomer. Foliage good, vigorous grower and disease resistant. Fragrant.

**Price.** First size, one-year plants, except where otherwise noted, 50 cts. each, for all Roses on this page, postpaid; two year-old plants, \$1.50 each, by express; \$15.00 per dozen or one or more varieties, 6 at doz. rate; \$1.60 each by parcel post with soil on roots.







NEW ROSES—Continued

## Lord Charlemont

**Hybrid Tea.** Flowers clear crimson, deepening to carmine crimson with almost black shadings, perfectly shaped, long pointed buds, large and full sweetly scented flowers. Free-growing and free-flowering, a splendid Rose of exceptional richness and beauty.

**White Ensign (H. T.).** Bud pointed medium size, very double high center. White sometimes showing creamy white. Flowers singly and several together on long stems.

**Briarcliff (H. T.).** This is a beautifully formed, light pink Rose, a sport of Columbia. The bud is beautifully formed, long and pointed, every flower opening perfectly. It is a great improvement on Columbia, retaining all the good qualities of its parent, with none of its faults. The color is more brilliant than Columbia, being a pure pink.

**Scarlet Glory.** Vermillion scarlet, the most vivid self colored rose yet produced. Good grower and very free bloomer with abundant dark green foliage which is not subject to mildew or black spot. The bloom is of good size and beautifully formed. A great garden rose.

**Henrietta (H. T.).** Long buds, opening to semi-double blooms of fiery orange and coral red, almost perfect in half open state, quite fragrant. Strong grower with good foliage.

**Horlutanus Fiet (H. T.).** Color deep ochre-yellow. Very large graceful flowers with a distinct fragrance.

**John Henry (H. T.).** A beautiful rosy scarlet in the bud stage, opening to a splendid rich pink. The shade is unique and unlike any other rose. Does not fade. A fine long bud, opening into an ideal shaped rose; not too full. Well-shaped, good quality petals. Free-flowering. Faint Tea scent. Very strong, free upright growth. Dark green foliage on very strong stems. Few thorns.



Lord Charlemont



New Rose Florex

**Florex (H. T.).** Long pointed bud on long strong stems well above the foliage, producing an enormous flower, full semi-double. Color a brilliant shade of coral deepening to carmine. A great bloomer. Good cutting variety. Foliage bright green free from disease of any kind.

**Tipperary (H. T.).** Soft golden yellow in bud and half open flower. Very desirable on account of its freedom of bloom and habit of growth.

**Padre (H. T.).** Color a brilliant coppery scarlet flushed with yellow at base of petals, a pleasing combination. Beautiful long buds borne on long stiff stems, making a splendid cutting variety. Open flower semi-double.

An extremely effective bedding Rose of the general type of Mme. Edouard Herriot, but taller, with better stem, intenser color, and does not fade. A distinctly vital Rose which is bound to be popular for years to come.

**Lulu (H. T.).** Beautiful buds of orange red shaded with salmon pink. Very dainty and distinct, being somewhat similar to Mlle. Cecil Brunner but much larger. A fine bedding variety.

**Mrs. Henry Morse (H. T.).** Color is two contrasting tones of pink with an underlying yellow glow. One of the best of the pink varieties of recent introduction. Bud long and pointed opening full and double. Very fragrant and free flowering.

**Betty Uprichard (H. T.).** Copper-red buds opening to semi-double flowers of above average size, brilliant orange. Carmine on outer surface of petals showing light salmon reflexes. Spicy fragrance. Strong grower, persistent bloomer and healthy bush.

**Violette (H. C.).** Rather large flowers of deep reddish violet borne in big trusses on a strong slender-caned plant.

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NEW ROSES—Continued

## Sensation

**Hybrid Tea.** As the name implies it is a "Sensation," due to the color and habit of growth. Anyone that has seen Premier can imagine what this is like, being better in every way, color, foliage and growth. Buds long and pointed, opening full and double and retaining its color in the open flower. Blooms produced on long stiff stems well above the foliage and in great profusion. Color an entrancing shade of red.

**Rose Dawn (H. T.).** Long pointed buds of good size. Color soft rose flesh with yellow base. Good foliage of light green, insect and disease proof. Produces quantities of double flowers.

**Empire Queen (H. T.).** Long pointed buds on stiff stems. Color cerise, sometimes flushed orange.

**Salmon Spray (H. T.).** Salmon pink with carmine reverse. Flowers of medium size and borne in clusters. Continuous and profuse bloomer. Good for cutting. Very unique.

**Matchless (H. T.).** Long pointed buds very large, opening full and double. Color a deep cerise pink almost red. Intensely fragrant. Profuse bloomer. Growth vigorous. Hardy everywhere.

**Belle of Portugal (Climb. Tea).** A remarkably fine climbing rose. A cross between the Burmese species, *Rosa Gigantea* and *Reine Marie Henrietta*. The blooms are large and beautiful of a soft salmon shade, produced singly on long stems. Moderately hardy.

**Emily Gray.** A true yellow rose of a climbing habit. Large flowers produced in clusters of ten or more. Strong grower with thick waxy foliage. Needs protection in northern climate. Prune lightly.

**Heart of Gold.** Hardy climber or Pillar Rose. Color crimson with white at base of petals and unusually prominent golden stamens, producing a striking effect. Foliage deep shiny green.

**Hortulanus Budde (Per.).** Fine shade of dark red. Blooms in great profusion throughout the entire growing season. Semi-double.

**Kitchener of Khartum (H. T.).** Flowers of absolutely pure intense scarlet color, with a velvet sheen. Semi-double, borne in great profusion the entire growing season.

**Priscilla (H. T.).** An American introduction, which as a rule means adapted to this country. Strong robust grower with dark green foliage free from disease. Color a flesh pink with darker shadings. Buds well formed opening full and double and on long stiff stems well above the foliage. Excellent for cutting.

**Mme. Edouard Herriot (Daily Mail).** Buds coral-red, shaded with yellow at the base, the open flowers of medium size, semi-double, are of superb coral-red tinted with yellow and rosy-scarlet. Two-year-old budded plants only.



Sensation

## Mme. Alexandre Dreux

**Hybrid Tea.** Intensely yellow bud, opening to a smallish, high-centered flower with sharply reflexed petals of deep yellow splashed with orange. Plant is moderately vigorous, wiry; fairly free flowering. A flower of unique color and great beauty of form. We are more impressed now with this Rose than in early trials. The growth is fairly good and it is worth serious trial.

**Eureka.** The color is an unusually brilliant, clear rose pink, retaining its color in the open flower. Lovely buds of fine form; flowers very large, full and double, borne on long straight stems. Foliage heavy and of a dark green color. Strong grower, forming an erect bush. A remarkably free bloomer.

**Templar.** Bud medium size, globular; flower medium size, double globular, very lasting. Vigorous upright, abundant and continuous bloomer. A new forcing Rose which is making its way into the garden. Clear bright red, of exceeding double form and with fine strong stems. Few thorns. Strongly perfumed.

**Souv. de Georges Pernet (H. T.).** Long-pointed buds of rich oriental-red, tipped with deep carmine, over a base of buttercup-yellow. As the petals unfurl slowly, these tints blend into a shimmering cochineal old-rose.

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NEW ROSES—Continued

## David O. Dodd

**Hybrid Tea.** A new crimson Rose with great possibilities as a bedder. A magnificent rich crimson, flushed scarlet, with well shaped buds, carried erect and opening into a large beautifully shaped flower. Very free flowering; growth bushy and upright.

We consider this fine Rose to be one of the best of its color, a great advance on all other crimson bedding varieties and certainly it is destined to become a great popular favorite. A splendid Rose with no apparent faults.

**Etoile de Holland** (H. T.). Flower bright, dark red, of medium size, fairly full; deliciously perfumed. Growth vigorous, upright. A cross between General McArthur and Hadley. A rose of great future.

**Earl Gray** (Double Richmond) (H. T.). A beautiful rich crimson scarlet; lovely pointed form; not a large Rose, but of medium size.

**Wm. F. Dreer** (H. T.) On account of unusual color of the bud and bloom makes the rose one of the most attractive of the new varieties. The color is one so hard to accurately describe that one has to see it in order to conceive its beauty. Soft apricot pink deepening on outside to a salmon pink which produces a charming effect. Profuse bloomer and good grower.

**Marjorie Bulkeley** (H. T.). Color a buff ochre, heavily flushed rosy pink developing to silvery pink as the flower expands. Vigorous growth.

**Therese Zeimet-Lambert** (H. T.). Richmond X Mrs. Aaron Ward. Type, Killarney. Bud large, long-pointed; flower large, full, double, high-centered; deep rose, with yellow ground, orange base; borne singly, on long stem.



David O. Dodd

## John Cook

**Hybrid Tea.** Honored with the name of our veteran Rosarian, this fine seedling of La France is noted for its profusion of bloom throughout the entire season. The buds form in clusters of two to six. The flowers are similar to La France in color, but it is a great improvement of that variety in its quick growth and freedom from black-spot. A fine Rose, suitable for all purposes.

**Pink Beauty** (H. T.). A production of the well-known Rose hybridist, John Cook, of Baltimore, this is one of the finest garden Roses ever produced. The big, globular buds are deep satiny pink, changing to paler pink when the beautiful cup-shaped bloom is fully open. It is extremely fragrant, free-blooming, and the flowers last a long time. The bush is hardy and resistant to disease. A rose of real merit. Awarded the Silver Medal at the Hartford Trial-Grounds.

**America** (H. T.). A cross between Premier and Hoosier Beauty. Color a lovely peach blow shade or rose pink, very fragrant. Buds of great length and pointed, opening into an enormous flower from 4 to 6 inches in diameter, and borne on long stiff stems, making it an ideal cutting variety. Excellent for forcing and outdoor planting. Foliage large dark green, stems thornless. Vigorous grower and free bloomer. Resembles somewhat Columbia in color and form of bud.

The Dingee & Conard Co., West Grove, Penna.,

Meriden, Conn.

Gentlemen:—The roses arrived yesterday afternoon in the pink of condition. They were packed so perfectly that one would think they were sent from a nurseryman next door.

I wish to express my very sincere appreciation, as you have sent me much better Roses than I paid for, which is unusual treatment these days. I made a new rose bed and thought I could afford to wait for blossoms until next year, but it will be my fault if these do not bloom this fall.

I was telling a friend of mine what a delightful surprise you had given me and he said "Oh yes, they have always treated their customers royally. I know from experience, as I bought Roses from them forty years ago."

Yours very truly,

Eva F. Maguire



John Cook

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## Dingee Famous

## Hybrid Tea Roses

### The Most Desirable of All

It has not been many years since the introduction of the Hybrid Tea class of roses by Guillot. It is a part of the early history of the Rose in this country that this house was the first to call attention to the valuable characteristics of the class, and was greatly instrumental in making it the most popular. Today the great majority of roses grown are Hybrid Teas, and new varieties are being produced by the hundreds.

The Hybrid Teas, as a class, are the most satisfactory of roses. They produce the most beautiful blooms, of all forms and colors—and continuously from early spring until heavy frost. Like the Hybrid Perpetuals, they are vigorous growers; hardy, but not exceptionally so. Therefore they are well adapted for growing in our temperate climates, but in zones of extreme winters need some protection. Their foliage is heavy and disease resisting, but, as with all roses, must be protected from the ravages of insects.

Our collection of Hybrid Teas is extensive and complete. But the varieties offered in the following pages have been selected with an understanding of the needs of the amateur grower, and are varieties that have shown themselves to be well adapted for growing by the great masses of flower lovers. These are kinds that are easy to grow—the kinds we all want. If you desire a variety not listed in these pages, write us, for very probably we have the rose you wish in our large collection.

### Mme. Butterfly

**Hybrid Tea.** All the color tones of Ophelia are intensified, making it a harmony of bright pink, apricot and gold. Ophelia ranks at the top in popularity and Madame Butterfly will surpass it. It averages more petals to the bloom, it produces more bloom to the plant because it makes more branches, everyone carrying a bud. The tight buds are a lovely shade of Indian oak, yellow at the base; the opening flowers are perfect in form and texture, clear and brilliant in color and of delicious fragrance.

**Souvenir de H. A. Verschuren.** In color it is a two tone yellow, the center a beautiful apricot-yellow which shades to saffron yellow at the edges and while in unfavorable weather it shades lighter, its rich color is maintained better throughout the season.

**Two-year-old plants only, \$1.50 each by express.**

**Virginia R. Cox** (Gruss an Teplitz). For intense and dazzling color there is no other rose to compare with this—fiery crimson, shaded with a dark velvety sheen. The flowers are large and handsome, produced in continuous profusion throughout the season. Very vigorous, bushy grower, and because of its strong growing habits it should not be placed with other hybrid teas. Extremely hardy, easy to grow, always in bloom, it is one of the most satisfactory of roses.

**Rose Marie.** One of the best bedding Roses grown, remarkably free-flowering, producing large, long, ideal buds, which develop into full flowers of beautiful form, of a most pleasing clear rose-pink.

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"Rose Mad. Butterfly"





HYBRID TEA ROSES—Continued

## Francis Scott Key

This American production, named in honor of the author of our national anthem, is a credit to its name. It is by far the most popular red rose, for its glowing colors, its remarkable size, its fullness, its perfection of form, make it a greatly prized variety. The color is a rich, glowing scarlet, with darker shadings, becoming darker as the flower ages. It is a continuous bloomer, producing its immense blooms on stout stems in great profusion. The growth is excellent and the foliage heavy, little troubled with disease. Very hardy. Reports from almost all sections of the country show excellent results with this remarkable rose.

**Mrs. Archibald Mackey.** Resembles the old variety Belle Siebrecht, larger flower and a better grower. Color a beautiful rose pink. Buds handsome in form and color, flowers opening full and double. Hardy everywhere.

**Victor.** A new rose of American origin. Color a deep rose and carmine, edges of petals carmine lake. Buds long and pointed opening full and double on long stiff stems well above the foliage. Delightfully fragrant. Hardy in any location. Foliage dark green.

**Lady Alice Stanley.** Color, coral-rose, the inside of the petals shading to flesh-pink. Grand for bedding. One of the best pink Hybrid Teas, and very popular because it is easy to grow even under difficult conditions.



Francis Scott Key

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Kootenay

## Kootenay

A rose that seems to have escaped notice for several years, but which we have found to be by far the best of roses of lighter shades. It is one of the strongest growing Hybrid Teas, forming a large bush in a short time, and made up of long, stout shoots, each topped by a cluster of marvelous blooms on long stems. The buds are long and pointed, and of exquisite form, opening to large rounded flowers, very full and double. Color a creamy white, with a shading of flesh colors towards the center. Foliage very heavy, unaffected by disease, and little troubled with insects.

**Mrs. E. T. Stotesbury.** A cross between My Maryland, Joseph Hill, and Milady, it has the desirable features of all, the magnificent bud of My Maryland, and the double flower of Milady. Color a soft, silvery flesh pink, deepening towards the center to dark pink, the outer edge of the petals tinted silvery rose—a remarkable combination. Strong grower, with long stems, and foliage that is very healthy.

**Colonel Oswald Fitzgerald (H. T.).** A brilliant Rose. Its blood red velvety crimson beautifully finished blooms are produced in great profusion.

**Crimson Champion.** Beautiful buds of scarlet crimson, large semi-double. Strong sturdy grower and free bloomer. Makes a well formed bush. Hardy in any location.



HYBRID TEA ROSES—Continued

## Souv. de Claudius Pernet

**Per.** In this rose we have the clear shining yellow color not yet seen in any rose, being entirely free from orange yellow found in such varieties as Sunburst and Mrs. Aaron Ward. The foliage is free and vigorous, leaves being bright shining green looking as if they had been varnished. Growth strong and sturdy. Freeflowering. Hardy. **Price, two-year-old budded plants only, \$2.50 each, by express.**

**Josephine Vestal.** The color is difficult to describe, a salmon flesh, shaded rose, with a touch of yellow at the base. Buds of unusual attractiveness, opening full and double produced on long stems. Blooms produced in great profusion. Hardy in all localities.



Silver Columbia



## American Legion

This rose is an American production, but is not as well known as it should be. The color is a pleasing shade of cerise, which is retained until the petals fall. Well formed buds, produced on long stems, make it a fine rose for cutting. Heavy, disease resistant foliage, little troubled with insects. Strong grower, and free bloomer. Awarded first prize for the best new rose in 1920.

**Miss Cynthia Forde.** A deep, brilliant rose pink, reflex rosy pink. Large, perfectly formed, very full buds, sweetly perfumed. Free flowering, and splendid grower. The full open flower resembles a handsome Zinnia on tall stiff stems well above the foliage.

**Mrs. John Cook.** Of the Ophelia family, which is almost sufficient recommendation to insure its popularity to the American Rose-loving public. Color a white suffused with delicate pink, sometimes being a flesh pink due to changing in season. Buds nicely formed, expanding into a large cup-shaped bloom.

**Wm. Shean.** A rose of distinctive form, with very long buds and petals. Flowers a beautiful pure pink with delicate tinting, of immense size and substance and perfect form. Strong, sturdy grower, free blooming and hardy anywhere.

**Dorothy Page Roberts.** Beautiful buds opening into large globular blooms of coppery pink, suffused with apricot—an unique rose possessing remarkably beautiful color shades. A strong grower and a free bloomer, an excellent bedding variety, to be recommended for the garden. Hardy. **First size plants, 50 cts. each; 2-year-old plants, \$2.50 each by express; by parcel post, \$2.60 each.**

## Silver Columbia

This rose is a sport of the famous Columbia. The color is a clear shade of deep silver pink, lighter than that of its parent. The color deepens towards the center. The flowers are larger than Columbia, inclined to be flat, but magnificently formed on long, strong stems, which make it an excellent rose for cutting. It has all the growing characteristics of its parent, but is a more profuse and a more constant bloomer—blooming from one season's end to the other. The foliage is heavy, of a dark green, remarkably free from disease. Very hardy, and extremely easy to grow—admirably adapted for the amateur's garden, requiring little attention, and producing a wealth of beauty. **Price, first size plants, 50 cts. each; 2-year-old plants, \$1.50 each by express; \$1.60 by parcel post.**

**Edward Mawley.** It is an enormous big-petaled Rose. Resembles in form, and the beautiful rich color of Louis Van Houtte, only with a more velvety shading upon the inside of the petals. Very free blooming, with a perfect habit of growth, suitable for garden, exhibition or forcing purposes.

**Antoine Rivoire.** Flowers large, double and of fine form; very fragrant; color, rosy-flesh, with yellow ground, shaded with border of carmine. Strong and healthy. A great favorite.

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## HYBRID TEA ROSES—Continued.

**Mrs. F. R. Pierson.** We believe that this Rose has carried off more honors than any other new Rose ever introduced. As a commercial or garden red Rose, **Mrs. F. R. Pierson** has never been equalled. It can be grown to larger size than *American Beauty*, even at its best. It has an equally large flower, better color, with fine, heavy, dark foliage, strong stems and very fragrant. It is a color hard to describe, cardinal-red, or as described by New York experts, "a crimson Rose flooded with sunshine." The buds are long and pointed, of ideal shape and form.

**Mrs. George Shawyer.** The color is a shade of brilliant clear rose or bright peach-pink, difficult to describe. It is a wonderful grower and bloomer, producing great numbers of strong shoots, each tipped with a bud. These shoots form the stem, from 3 to 4 feet in length. The flowers are very large, well formed and full, petals of good substance.

**Duchess of Wellington.** A peerless Tea-like Rose, and one of the best in our trial grounds, with beautifully smooth and massive petals. The blooms are very large, full and perfectly formed, with high-pointed center. Very sweetly perfumed. The color, which is very novel, is a dainty, clear rose-madder. The growth is vigorous, erect and of very free-flowering habit.

**Bessie Brown.** The plants are hardy and vigorous, producing flowers profusely in the open ground all through the summer. The color is pure white, flushed with pink; petals large and of fine form.

**Betty.** It is of the type of the Killarney Rose, and has a truly unique color—ruddy gold. Blooms, extremely large, fairly full, of glorious form, deliciously perfumed.

**Mrs. Henry Winnett.** Color a bright shade of crimson, not quite as dark as *Hadley*, but not as light as *Richmond*, a color that has proven to be very popular.



**Mrs. F. R. Pierson**

Winner of the Coolidge Gold Medal offered by President Calvin Coolidge at the Flower Show, Grand Central Palace, New York City, March 16, 1926; also five other Gold Medals and Certificates of Merit.

## The Great Standard Garden Rose—Radiance

This is by far the best pink garden rose in existence, because of its vigorous, heavy growth, and its great abundance of bloom. Extremely easy to grow, requiring little attention, it is exceptionally well adapted for the amateur's garden. The color is almost a solid rose-pink, but with lighter tints and reflections. Long, heavy stems, bearing large and beautiful buds, which open slowly into globular, somewhat loosely formed, fairly double flowers. This is one of the hardiest of roses, and will survive very severe winters.

**Elsie Beckwith.** This is a very fine rose of a vigorous, upright habit of growth. The very sweetly scented blooms, with large bold stiff petals, are produced on strong stems. Not liable to damage by rain. Color a rich glowing rosy pink. Foliage dark green, shaded red; not subject to mildew. This is a good all round sort for garden, bedding and under glass. It suggests a glorified *Mrs. Charles E. Russell*.

**Nerissa.** Color, creamy yellow, shaded with white and peach tint toward center. Bud handsome, long and pointed, opening full and double. Rank grower. Wonderful bloomer, making an excellent bedding and garden rose.



**Radiance**

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HYBRID TEA ROSES—Continued

Columbia

## Columbia The Gem of the Garden

This is one of the most impressive, and one of the most popular roses since the introduction of the glorious American Beauty. It is an extremely profuse bloomer—as free a bloomer as the Teas, especially in the cooler seasons, for the plant is a strong grower and is made up chiefly of flower stems. The color is a deep peach pink, deepening into a glowing pink, a perfect color. Handsome, firm buds are borne on long, stiff stems well above the foliage, and open into very large somewhat flat flowers of good substance, splendid lasting quality, and of delightful fragrance. Heavy, healthy foliage. A very hardy rose, requiring slight protection in the colder climes. The blooms are sometimes imperfect in extreme heat. For the amateur, this rose is almost perfect, and should be in all gardens.

**W. Freeland Kendrick** (Originally called Bloomfield Endurance). Type, La France. Bud medium size, ovoid, flesh-white; flowers, large, slightly globular, very double, full, very lasting, fragrant, flesh deepening to peach in center, borne singly and several together on medium-length, strong stem. Foliage abundant, dark green, leathery, glossy, disease resistant. Very vigorous, semi-climber (5 ft. in Pa.). Profuse, continuous bloomer. Very hardy.

**City of Little Rock.** Distinct and beautiful in color, a bright rosy pink or rose shaded with Hydrangea pink. The buds which open perfectly are long of ideal form. Splendid grower and free bloomer. Delightfully fragrant.

**Florence Pemberton.** Distinctive creamy white, shaded rose; petals bordered rosy salmon; flowers large, very full and beautifully formed. Constantly in bloom.

**Etoile de France.** The strong, upright bushes have beautiful bronze-green foliage, which is not subject to insect attacks. The bushes are blooming constantly, producing large, massive, deep, full cup-formed flowers of clear red or velvety crimson.

**President Wilson.** A delightful shade of salmon pink, reminding one of the grand color of Willowmere, but clearer in tone. Flowers of large size and exhibition quality, freely produced on erect stems. A great rose and a very dependable garden variety.

**Mme. Melanie Soupert.** The flowers are bright golden-yellow suffused with faint tinges of pink, with a handsome and distinct form, making a Rose of great beauty. It is a strong, vigorous grower, very hardy, and forms a handsome bush in the garden.

**Annie Laurie.** Type of Mad. Butterfly. Buds large, long and pointed, opening very double. Color flesh pink, edges deeper, golden yellow base extending a third of the petals, borne on long strong stems. Foliage abundant, large, rich, glossy green. Few thorns. Fairly vigorous grower and bloomer. Great cut flower variety.

**Red Cross.** A rose of unusual markings and color. Color, orange crimson-scarlet. Buds finely formed, long and pointed, opening full and carried on strong stems. Delightfully fragrant, a fine decorative rose.

**Price.** First size, one-year plants, 30 cts. each, for all Roses on this page; 4 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 85 cts. each, by express; \$8.50 per dozen of one or more varieties; 95 cts. each by parcel post with soil on roots.

Erwin, Tennessee

The Dingee & Conard Co.,  
West Grove, Pa.  
Gentlemen:

I am writing to tell you how pleased I am with the Roses and shrubs I ordered from you this spring. I ordered two year-old Roses and shrubs and after I set the Roses every one of them froze down almost to the ground, tho I had protected them with straw, but they all came out and have been lovely this summer. I don't believe I have ever seen anything that can beat the three Cochet Roses I have. My two year old white one has had as many as twelve Roses and buds on it at one time and they are never without bloom, and to say the New Columbia is beautiful, does not tell half of it.

Yours truly, Mrs. Ralph Bailey

**H. D. M. Barton.** A grand bedding rose of the Gen. McArthur type. Strong grower. Hardy everywhere. Buds long and pointed, deep rich velvety crimson.

**Lady Ashtown.** Buds long and pointed borne singly on long, stiff stems. Color solid carmine-pink of a pleasing shade.

**Commonwealth.** Bud large, long, pointed; flower large, open, double, very lasting; deep pink, solid color; borne singly on medium strong stem; moderate fragrance. Foliage sufficient, leathery, disease resistant. Few thorns. Vigorous, upright; continuous bloomer.





HYBRID TEA ROSES—Continued

## Amelia Gude

A most charming rose, with dainty buds, and blooms of exquisite form. Anyone who has ever seen it in bloom is sure to have this rose in his garden. The colors of yellow-rose, deepening towards the center to peach yellow, are exceedingly soft, and very pleasingly blended. A strong growing variety, with fine, healthy foliage, and very liberal in its production of blooms from one season's end to the other. Is unexcelled for bouquet arrangement.

**National Emblem.** Color a deep crimson, overlaid velvety crimson, shading to vermillion toward the edges. Buds long and pointed, on stout stems, opening full and double, each one coming to perfection, and produced in profusion. Plants make a gorgeous sight, because of the bright blooms and the mildew proof foliage.

**Mrs. Wakefield Christie-Miller.** A handsome vigorous grower in almost any location. Free bloomer, always loaded with handsome buds and blooms. Buds long and pointed, opening full, double and great size. Color a soft pearly blush shaded salmon. Outside of petals a clear vermillion-rose.

**Winsome.** Flowers full and double of a deep cherry-rose. Splendid grower thriving in any soil and location. Magnificent foliage. Free bloomer and hardy anywhere.

**Hadley.** In color it is a deep velvety-crimson, retaining its brilliancy at all seasons of the year. The variety is double and buds are well formed. It is a strong, rapid grower.

**Sunburst.** A magnificent giant yellow forcing Rose, also well adapted for outdoor growing, being a vigorous and healthy Rose. Reddish-bronze foliage. The color is superb orange copper or golden orange, with a deep orange center.

**Mrs. A. R. Waddell.** The flowers are of the largest size and of perfect form. The coloring is most brilliant in effect, a rosy-scarlet, opening rosy-salmon, with reverse of petals rosy-scarlet. The bush is a sturdy, erect and vigorous grower.

**Mad. Schwaller.** A beautiful combination of salmon-rose with edges of the petals touched with violet-carmine.

**Laurent Carle.** A beautiful Rose, with extra large, handsomely formed, rich velvety carmine buds and flowers. It is a phenomenally strong and robust grower, and continually in bloom.



Amelia Gude

## The Marvelous Rose—Red Radiance

Very similar to Radiance and equally satisfactory. Large, globular, cupped blooms, of strong, clear red, with no trace of any other color. An exceptionally vigorous grower, sending forth heavy canes, with healthy foliage. Very liberal in producing blooms, it cannot be surpassed as a red garden rose. Extremely hardy.

**Los Angeles.** This is one of the most beautiful of roses, with its attractive buds and blooms of luminous flame pink toned with coral, and shaded with translucent gold, at the base of the petal. It is of very vigorous growth under favorable conditions, but is most difficult to grow where it is not altogether adapted. However, it is well worth extra care, for its brilliant colors are unsurpassed. **Price, budded plants, \$1.50 each by express; \$1.60 by parcel post.**

**Madame Collette Martinet.** Beautiful old gold-yellow, shaded with orange-yellow, with long golden yellow buds, opening into a fairly large globular flower; very vigorous grower of a splendid branching habit, with reddish foliage.

**Price.** First size, one-year plants, except where noted, 39 cts. each for all Roses on this page; 4 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 85 cts. each, \$8.50 per dozen of one or more varieties, by express, charges collect, 6 at doz. rate; 95 cts. each by parcel post with soil on roots.



Red Radiance





HYBRID TEA ROSES—Continued

## Kaiserin Augusta Victoria

This great standard variety is the most popular of all the lighter shades of hybrid teas, and is famous for its perfection of form. Large buds of creamy white; the open flower delicate pure white, with a drop of lemon at the center, very large and fragrant. The growth is sturdy, and it is a very profuse bloomer. Of extreme hardiness. The beauty of the autumn blooms of this rose is unsurpassed. An indispensable variety.

**Ophelia.** Any description can give but a faint idea of the superb beauty and the rich shades of this rose. Salmon flesh, shaded with rose, in perfect tints. Buds of unusual attractiveness, opening full and double. Plant of strong habit, and produces its flowers in great profusion. Very hardy. This rose is one of the most popular yellow roses in the world, and it is deserving of its popularity.

**Magnafrano.** Flowers are very large, full, deep and double, and of delightful fragrance. The color of this magnificent Rose is bright, shining rose, with shadings of richer tones.

**Ecarlate.** One of the hardiest and most dependable of roses, and almost indispensable for bedding. Moderate size flowers, of solid, brilliant scarlet, borne in wonderful profusion throughout the season. Strong

vigorous bushes, with foliage that is practically immune from disease. This is an exceptionally satisfactory Rose, easy to grow, and long-lived.



Kaiserin Augusta Victoria

## Rhea Reid

As an all round garden rose this has no superior, for it is famed for its strong constitution and its ability to withstand the ravages of disease and insects. Color a vivid scarlet crimson. Flowers are marvels of beauty, large, bold, and of splendid substance. Strong, sturdy, vigorous grower, it is a most satisfactory rose.

**My Maryland.** Its brilliant, lively shade of pink and beauty of form is without superior, and all summer through large, perfectly double magnificent flowers, rich in fragrance, are borne on long, stiff stems growing from a sturdy, fine-shaped bush, which in itself is a distinct ornament to the garden. A great outdoor Rose. Extremely hardy.

**Richmond.** Wonderfully free blooming, its immense, fragrant, scarlet-crimson flowers are borne on long, stiff stems, making it a rival of American Beauty, and even more dazzling in appearance. Strong grower; profuse bloomer; a splendid cutting rose.

**Prince of Bulgaria.** Not the least of its charms is the large bright green foliage, and the buds are simply grand. The flowers are large and quite full; outer petals superb rosy-flesh with index petals of a slightly lighter tint. A very well known rose.

**Florence Forrester.** Clear snow-white with a lemon tinge; as the flowers age they become a pure white; the blooms are ever larger than Paul Neyron.



Rhea Reid

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HYBRID TEA ROSES—Continued

## Mrs. Aaron Ward

Most exquisite buds of golden buff or fawn, opening to full, double, well formed flowers, of pinkish fawn. The plant does not grow large, but is dwarf and spreading, covered with heavy foliage that is immune from disease and insect pests. This is an excellent rose for the garden, for it requires little attention, blooms profusely, and is most useful for cutting and for the button-hole.

**Frank W. Dunlop.** The color is a most pleasing shade of soft pink, deepening towards the center. Bud perfect in form and substance, long and pointed, opening full and double. Produced in marvelous profusion on long stiff stems.

**Perle Von Godesberg.** This magnificent Rose was originally sent out as a Yellow Kaiserin Augusta Victoria, it having all the beauty of form and substance of that great garden Rose. The color is a rich canary-yellow with shadings of saffron.

**Triumph de Pernet Pere.** A French Rose originated by Jean Pernet. Flowers large, with broad, thick petals, and long pointed buds. Delicious Tea fragrance. Clear magenta-red passing to bright crimson.

**Gorgeous.** One of the most striking Roses in existence owing to the marvelous blending of colors. Deep orange-yellow and heavily veined with reddish copper, the most charming and gorgeous coloring which has yet been attained in a Rose. Flowers large and full, exquisitely formed and produced in marvelous profusion.

Mrs.  
Aaron  
Ward



## Crusader

Rich velvety crimson of bright hue and of massive form, this rose is one of the very finest of the reds. The flowers are very large, full, extremely double, with petals of splendid substance. Plant is of moderate growth, with exceptionally fine, disease resistant foliage. Its long stems and its lasting qualities make it a splendid cutting variety.

**Prince E. C. D'Arenberg.** Flowers of a bright scarlet, shaded maroon, borne on long, straight, upright stems. Buds long and pointed, opening full and double, perfect form, massive petals. Strong, healthy grower, excellent foliage, constant bloomer, making an ideal garden Rose.

**Madame Segond Weber.** One of the most beautiful Roses, of ideal form. The long, pointed buds are pink or salmon-flesh and when fully expanded are immense in size, full and double; as the flower opens it deepens until it fairly glows with its warm, deep pink. Highly fragrant. Very hardy and constantly in bloom.

**Souv. De President Carnot.** Buds very long and pointed, perfection in every line. The delicate rosy blush color, shaded a trifle deeper at the center of the flower, has not been approached by any later introduction. Fragrant, strong grower and free bloomer; a splendid outdoor Rose.

**Gen. Arnold Janssen.** Color a deep glowing carmine. Free bloomer. Buds long and pointed on long, stiff stems.

**Melody.** A lovely shade of yellow, deepening to apricot in the center, perfect in form and very double. The bush is hardy, vigorous and constantly in bloom.

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Crusader





## HYBRID TEA ROSES—Continued

### The Lovely Killarney Roses

**Double Pink Killarney** (The Famous Irish Rose). Each season since it was introduced Killarney has increased in popularity, and the demand has always exceeded the supply. The bush is strong and upright, with beautiful, deep bronzy green foliage, and the Rose is entirely free-blooming, bearing immense, long pointed buds and massive flowers on big, heavy shoots. The color is deep, brilliant and sparkling shell-pink, of the most exquisite shade. The flowers are of delightful fragrance, immense size, and have thick petals of great substance.

**Yellow Killarney** (Mme. Jenny Gillemot). A brilliant saffron-yellow Rose, opening canary with dark golden shades. The buds are long and pointed, beautiful in form and color, the flowers are large, with immense petals. Hardy and vigorous, it is in constant bloom all summer. Blooms produced on long, stiff stems, making an excellent Rose for cutting. Owing to its resemblance to the Killarneys, we have called it the Yellow Killarney, as it makes a good companion for them.

**Double White Killarney.** This offspring of the Pink Killarney is one of the most exquisite white Roses grown. The long, full buds are handsome in shape and the full-open flower most refined and beautiful in form and texture. The habits of growth are those of its parent, which mean that this is one of the best white roses in existence.

**SPECIAL OFFER.** One each of these Killarneys, 3 in all first size plants, sent postpaid for 75 cts. One of each, 3 in all, two-year-old plants, sent by express for \$2.00; by parcel post with soil on roots for \$2.25. Single plants, first size, 30 cts. each; 4 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 85 cts. each; \$8.50 dozen, by express; 90 cts. by parcel post.

### Beautiful La France Roses

Of all the Hybrid Teas there are none which excel the La France Roses in all the good points necessary to a good Rose. Practically Hardy everywhere; splendidly adapted for general planting and deserve a place in every flower garden of America.

**Pink La France.** Exceedingly sweet and handsome; flowers and buds large size, color lovely shade of silvery pink, tinged with crimson; fragrance delicious; flowers very full and beautiful.

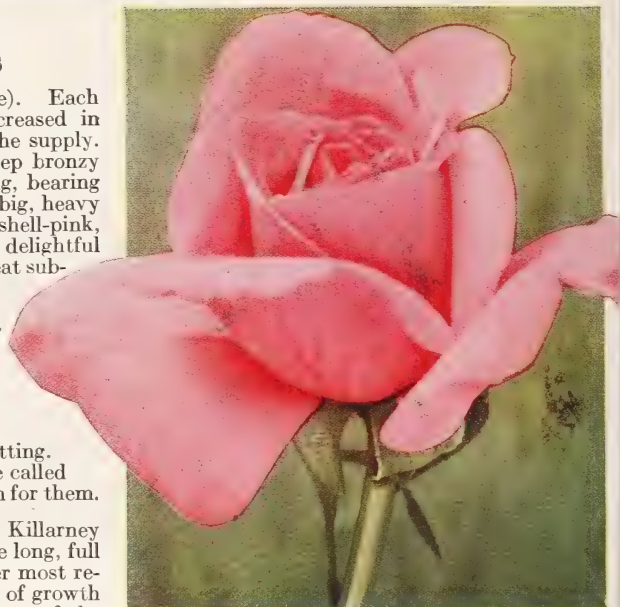
**White La France** (Augustine Guinoisseau). A pure white member of the La France family, having just a tinge of rose-blush tint, which grows stronger in the depths of the petals.

**Red La France** (Duchess of Albany). A superb Rose; resembles the Pink La France, but is much deeper in color.

**Yellow La France** (Mad. Pernet Ducher). One of the best of the newer French Roses of its color; very pretty flower, semi-double. Bright canary-yellow.

**Striped La France.** This Rose is almost exactly the same as Pink La France, except in color, which is bright satiny pink distinctly striped with bright rose.

**SPECIAL OFFER.** We will send one each of the Pink, White, Striped, Red and Yellow La France Roses for \$1.25, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 5 in all, by express, for \$3.25. Single plants, first size, 30 cts. each; 4 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 85 cts. each; \$8.50 per dozen, by express; by parcel post, 95 cts. each.



Double Pink Killarney

**Antoine Verdier.** A beautifully shaded, bright, glowing pink; flowers bold and massive, like American Beauty, and of splendid substance. Bush is strong and vigorous, in constant bloom.

**President Taft.** A most remarkable pink Rose, with a shining intense deep pink color of a very distinctive shade. Splendid grower in every respect.

**General McArthur.** Of strong, vigorous, healthy growth, branching freely, it produces its wonderful blooms profusely from May until October, of full scarlet crimson. Every shoot carries a large, double flower of exquisite fragrance and lasting quality.

**Robin Hood.** A grand grower, producing heavy canes and foliage. Blooms of immense size like the June Rose or Hybrid Perpetual. Color glorious rosy-scarlet that is soft, bright and lasting. Free bloomer.

**British Queen.** The flower resembles Frau Karl Druschki, but with Tea Rose form and refinement. Buds sometimes show a slight flush, which disappears as flower expands.

**F. R. Patzer.** A Rose of striking and pleasing appearance, owing to the delicate blending of color, which is a creamy-buff, with the reverse of petals a delicate warm pink, and as they expand the color becomes a light orange pink, a most charming combination. Strong, vigorous grower.

**Mad. Abel Chatenay.** This splendid Rose is one of the very best of its color—rosy-carmine, with darker shade. It does remarkably well in the open ground, has wonderfully beautiful flowers, which are full, deep and double.

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## HYBRID TEA ROSES—Continued

### Jonkheer J. L. Mock

Sometimes called "The Giant Pink from Holland," this rose is very imposing and of the largest size. The buds are immense and of very fine form, borne on long, stiff stems. Color a clear imperial pink, reflexed petals of a lighter shade. Strong, tall grower, at its best in heat, when the heavy petals open to perfection. Very hardy. Deserves a place in every garden.

**Dean Hole.** Silvery carmine Roses with salmon shadings. The coloring is distinct and unique; handsome tribute to the eminent Rosarian whose name it bears.

**Mad. Caroline Testout.** This is the Rose which grows so luxuriantly in the Far West that it has been adopted by the State of Oregon as its State Flower. In color, it is of a satiny Rose, deepening to clear red in the center. One of the most dependable roses.

**Hoosier Beauty.** The rich colors of this marvelous rose have never been equalled—dusky, crimson scarlet, with dark shadings and of a depth found in no other rose. Heavy petals of a velvet like texture add to the richness of the colors. The buds are of good size, last well, and open into magnificent blooms, quite dazzling in their velvety brilliance and retaining their colors until the petals fall. An extremely vigorous grower, sending forth long, heavy canes, with many shoots.

**Wm. Notting.** Owing to its size and freedom of bloom it should be in every garden. Blooms fine, large, full and double and perfect formation. Color a bright rosy cerise, with a deeper center. Fragrant.

**Premier.** The blooms are immense, often measuring 5 and 6 inches across the open flower; buds long, full and pointed. Color rich, deep, rose-pink, without shadings.



Jonkheer J. L. Mock

### Mad. Jules Grolez

The color is a distinct and charming shade of cherry-red. The fine form and attractive shape of the flowers makes them excellent for cutting. Remarkably strong.

**Crimson Queen.** Because of its rich coloring this is a wonderful garden or bedding rose—bright, velvety crimson. A strong, vigorous, upright grower, always in bloom. Extremely hardy.

**Helena Cambier.** Of unusual beauty, with large, double, beautifully formed flowers. The colors are varying, ranging from salmon-rose to coppery-rose, very often a handsome saffron hue. As the flowers expand the colors become lighter.

**Wellesley.** A most magnificent garden Rose of a beautiful shade of pink, vigorous, healthy growers; remarkably free-flowering, particularly adapted for outdoor culture.

**Meteor.** Very few dark Roses compare with this in richness and depth in color, which is a rich velvety crimson, shading very dark in the depths of the petals.

**Chrissie MacKellar.** Of a very beautiful shade of crimson and carmine, with veinings of rich deep ochre.

**Red Letter Day.** A velvety brilliant glowing scarlet crimson bud opening into a cactus like flower which retains its color, because the reflex of the petals is satiny crimson scarlet. A rose of exquisite grace and charm. A robust grower.



Mad. Jules Grolez

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## "Sturdy as Oak" Rugosas

These are the only everblooming roses which can be called absolutely hardy. Their growth is extremely vigorous, resulting in sturdy, compact, bushes four to six feet high. Wrinkled leathery foliage, of a dark shiny green, unaffected by insects or disease. They thrive under all conditions, and are indispensable for hedges, for backgrounds, or wherever plants requiring little attention are desired.

**Price of Rugosas, except where noted, strong one-year plants, 30 cts. each; 4 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 85 cts. each; \$8.50 per dozen.**

**Sir Thomas Lipton.** The best pure white Rugosa Rose. Strong and vigorous, grows 4 feet high. Flowers perfectly double, pure snow-white. Fragrant, borne on long stems continuously throughout the season. Hardy. Fine for hedging, cemetery and park work.

**Conrad Ferdinand Meyer.** Strong grower; perfectly hardy; flowers very large; well filled. Silver rose. Very fragrant.

**New Century.** Bright, rosy pink, with red center, with petals widely bordered with creamy white.

**Magnifica.** Red. Very free bloomer, attractive. **Price, two-year-old plants, \$1.10.**

**F. J. Grootendorst.** This is a new type of Rose which might properly be called a Rugosa Baby Rambler, it being a cross between Rugosa and the crimson Baby Rambler. Imagine a shrub-like Rugosa Rose covered with trusses of crimson Baby Rambler Roses and you will have a fair conception of this new hybrid variety. It is not a Rose that you want to plant in with your bed of Hybrid-Tea or Hybrid Perpetual Roses, but is valuable to plant as an isolated specimen or in a mass in a bed in an exposed position or among shrubs in a shrubbery border or use it for an everblooming hedge for which purpose it is admirably adapted. It is absolutely hardy and continues in bloom until late in the fall. **Strong two-year-old plants, \$1.00 each.**



Sir Thomas Lipton

## Everblooming Bourbon and China Roses

The Bourbon and China Roses are hardy in every section, so we list them together. They are strong, vigorous growers. Roses of these classes will bloom freely the first year from young plants and bloom constantly throughout the season. Splendid for autumn blooming.

**Hermosa.** The favorite of the old-time gardens and just as popular today; blooms in fine clusters; large, very double and fragrant; color beautiful clear rose.

**Agrippina.** Fiery-red; double and sweet.

**Apopline.** Clear pink and rosy crimson.

**Archduke Charles.** Crimson-scarlet.

**Beau Carmine.** Fine carmine-red; very rich.

**Bourbon Queen.** Bright carmine; edged white.

**Champion of the World.** Flowers of large size; color, lovely clear deep pink.

**Mme. Eugene Marlitt.** Brilliant shade of red. Bush strong growing and lusty.

**Queen's Scarlet.** A constant and profuse bloomer; color, velvety scarlet.

**Malmaison.** Rich, creamy-flesh, distinctly and elegantly shaded clear peachy red.

**Cramoisi Superior.** Medium size, rich, dark, velvety crimson; very double, full and beautiful.

**Louis Philippe.** Velvety crimson.

**Douglas.** Dark cherry-red, free bloomer.

## Green Rose—Viridiflora

A most interesting member of the Rose family, grown for its oddity. Petals are small, pointed, set thickly, and of the same color as the foliage—dark pea green.

Prices of all these Roses offered on these pages, except where noted, strong plants, 30 cts. each; 4 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 85 cts. each, by express; \$8.50 per dozen, 6 at doz. rate; 85 cts. each by Parcel Post prepaid with soil on roots.





## Dingee Hardy Hybrid Perpetual Roses

The Hybrid Perpetuals, or "June Roses," are the most famous of all roses. Most of the varieties were propagated years ago—the best known is General Jacqueminot, which was brought out in 1852—but time has not lessened their popularity.

Although they usually bloom only once a year, they produce an enormous number of flowers—more than the Hybrid Teas. They are of extremely vigorous, upright growth, putting forth long, heavy canes. The flowers are immense in size, often measuring six inches in diameter, and are delightfully fragrant. They are perfectly hardy, and live through the most severe winters with slight protection.

We have been fortunate in being able to maintain a very large stock of Hybrid Perpetuals, consisting of all the better kinds; in fact, our stock is unsurpassed. These roses are all on their own roots—the only kind to plant, for Hybrid Perpetuals survive many generations when on their own roots, but last only a few years when grown on wild root stock or grafted.

**Marshall P. Wilder.** Flowers large, semi-globular, full and of good substance; bright scarlet-crimson, richly shaded with maroon.

**General Jacqueminot.** Bright, shining crimson, rich and velvety; exceedingly brilliant and handsome; makes magnificent buds and flowers.

**Gloire Lyonnaise.** The open flower is enormous, full, deep and double. Rich creamy-white, passing, when open, to a pale shade of salmon-yellow deepest at the center.

**Ulrich Bruner.** Immense, large, bold flowers, full and globular; rich glowing crimson; elegantly flamed with scarlet. Highly fragrant.

**Prince Camille de Rohan.** The color is a deep, rich velvety crimson, passing to intense maroon, shaded black.

**Anne de Diesbach** (*Glory of Paris*). Most lovely brilliant carmine, long, pointed buds, and large, finely formed, compact flowers; very full and double and delightfully sweet.

**Clio.** On the order of Baroness Rothschild. Strong, vigorous grower, handsome foliage. Flowers flesh color, shaded in the center with rosy-pink; large, of fine globular form, freely produced.

**Mad. Charles Wood.** Begins to bloom almost as soon as planted, and continues all through the season; flowers extra large, double, full and quite fragrant; bright fiery scarlet, passing to fine, rosy crimson, shaded with maroon.

**Mad. Masson.** It is entirely hardy, blooms nearly all the time, as free as any Hybrid Tea, bearing numbers of large, full, double flowers of unusual beauty and wonderful fragrance; clear, bright rose, distinct and charming.

**Heinrich Munch.** One of the newer varieties that has created a sensation wherever grown. The color is a soft pink, very large and full; vigorous grower and undoubtedly one of the very finest of the Hybrid Perpetual varieties.

**Vick's Caprice.** Flowers large and slightly cup-shaped, but full and deep; petals thick and lasting, having the ground color clear, satiny pink, distinctly striped and dashed with white and bright carmine.



White American Beauty

## Paul Neyron

The flowers are immense; probably the largest and finest Rose; bright, shining pink, clear and beautiful, very double and full.

**J. B. Clark.** An intense deep scarlet-rose, shaded blackish-crimson, color like the sheen of a plum.

**Francois Levet.** An unusually vigorous grower, and free blooming. Large, finely made flowers almost the size of Paul Neyron; cherry-pink, delicately shaded carmine and blush.

**White American Beauty** (*Frau Karl Druschki*). This brilliant white type Rose has become renowned as the very highest type of its class and the best snow-white Rose ever introduced. It is an extraordinarily strong grower, branching freely, and has the vigor and hardiness of an oak. Large, heavy foliage and magnificent flowers that are nothing less than glorious—immense in size and produced with great freedom on long, stiff stems. The color is marvelously white, without a tinge of yellow or any other shade.

**Pink American Beauty** (*George Arends*). A rose bound to become as popular as Druschki. Grown inside or out in the open ground, one can find no fault in it. Strong, robust grower, making a sturdy bush; free bloomer and absolutely hardy everywhere. The color delicate pink, deliciously fragrant.

**Crimson American Beauty.** Color, rich crimson, charmingly shaded and veined. As the flowers expand, their beauty seems to be enhanced rather than diminished. The fragrance is not excelled by any Rose known.

**Coquette des Blanches.** Pure snowy-white, sometimes faintly tinged with pale rose; blooms in large clusters; medium size, full and slightly fragrant.

Prices of all Roses on this page, except where noted, first size plants, 30 cts. each, 4 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 85 cts. each; \$8.50 per dozen of one or more varieties, 6 at doz. rate, by express, or 95 cts. each by parcel post, prepaid with soil on roots.





## The Always Popular Cochet Roses

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If you want five of the finest Roses listed in this book, which will produce hundreds of superb flowers throughout the growing season, and producing the kind of flowers one never tires of, order this Cochet set. No matter where you live, they will give you perfect satisfaction. The Cochet Roses are perfectly hardy in every part of the country, even where the winters are most severe, with slight protection. In the more temperate sections and in the South they thrive vigorously and bloom most lavishly all summer long, growing into great, strong, lusty bushes which increase in beauty with the passing years.

**Yellow Maman Cochet.** One of the best hardy, ever-blooming yellow Roses. It is ideal for open ground culture—a typical Cochet Rose, with gracefully molded buds, flowers, magnificent when open, on stiff, strong stems. This kind is identical in every way with Pink and White Cochet, except in the color of the flower, which is deep sulphur-yellow.

**Red Maman Cochet (Helen Gould).** A Rose that will grow and give satisfaction in almost any soil or situation. It produces flowers in amazing profusion, on long, strong shoots. The flowers are very full, perfectly double; buds long and pointed. Color, warm, rosy crimson.

**Crimson Maman Cochet (Etoile de France).** A fitting companion to the other Cochet Roses on account of its vigor of growth, stiffness of foliage, freedom of bloom and hardness. It bears masses of full, deep-formed flowers singly, on long, substantial stems. The color is a new and clear shade of red or velvety crimson, brightening in the center; of exquisite fragrance.

Strong one-year-old plants of Red, Yellow and Crimson Cochet, 30 cts. each; 4 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants 85 cts. each; \$8.50 per dozen, express, 95 cts. each by parcel post with soil on roots.

**White Maman Cochet.** A most magnificent snow-white Rose, with sometimes a faint tinge of pale blush. It has the same freedom of bloom as the Pink Cochet, the same magnificent form of buds and flowers, and the same hardness—standing at the very head of all Roses as the best white kind for open ground culture. Vigorous as an oak and hardy everywhere.

**Pink Maman Cochet.** The Queen of all Pink Garden Roses. The buds are large, full and firm, elegantly pointed, showing depth and richness as they expand. The superb flowers open perfectly double, are extra large and of splendid substance. Hardy in every section of the country; clear, rich pink, changing to silvery-rose.

Price of Pink and White Maman Cochet. Strong one-year-old plants, 25 cts. each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 75 cts. each; \$7.50 per dozen by express; 85 cts. each by parcel post with soil on roots.

Mt. Rainier, Md., March 9, 1926.

The Dingee & Conard Co., West Grove, Pa.  
Gentlemen: Last year I sent you an order for Roses. They were one-year size and I was afraid I need not expect any blooms the first year. I certainly was agreeably disappointed for I had blooms from July until November. I cut the last blossom the day before Thanksgiving.

I never saw anything more lovely than Charles Dingee and the Pink Cochet. It was such a pleasure to take care of them for I was not bothered by insect pests or plant diseases. The foliage on all the Roses was wonderful.

Yours very truly,  
Augusta B. Hinkelman

**SPECIAL OFFER** One each of Pink, White, Red, Yellow and Crimson Cochet, strong plants, postpaid, \$1.00; two-year-old plants, one of each, 5 in all, \$3, by express; by parcel post, with the soil on roots, \$3.50.

## “Standard Collections” of Hybrid Tea Roses

We have numerous requests every season to name a collection of good Garden Roses, as some customers find it hard to select from so many varieties, the ones that do best under ordinary conditions, that we have made up these Offers for such people. These are not inferior plants but the best. All these Roses are grown on their own roots. Full description of each is given elsewhere in this catalog.

### 6—“Best Collection”—6

- 1 Radiance. Rose pink.
- 1 Red Radiance. Cerise red.
- 1 Jonkheer J. L. Mock. Carmine.
- 1 Columbia. Soft pink.
- 1 Francis Scott Key. Bright red.
- 1 Kaiserin Augusta Victoria. Pure white.

The 6 Free-Blooming Hybrid Tea Roses offered above in the first size plants sent postpaid for \$1.50. The large two-year-old plants sent postpaid with soil on roots same as sent by express for \$4.00. Safe delivery guaranteed.

### 12—“Standard Collections”—12

- 1 Radiance. Rose pink.
- 1 Red Radiance. Cerise pink.
- 1 Jonkheer J. L. Mock. Carmine.
- 1 Columbia. Soft pink.
- 1 Francis Scott Key. Bright red.
- 1 Kaiserin Augusta Victoria. Pure white.
- 1 Mme. Butterfly. Pink and gold.
- 1 Amelia Gude. Golden yellow.
- 1 Kootenay. Soft rose.
- 1 Mrs. Aaron Ward. Coppery orange.
- 1 Mrs. A. R. Waddell. Rosy scarlet.
- 1 Virginia R. Cox. Fiery crimson.

The “Standard Collection” of 12 leading Hybrid Tea Roses offered above sent postpaid in the first size plants for \$3.00. The 12 two-year-old plants by express at purchaser's expense for \$8.00. Safe delivery guaranteed.





## OWN ROOT ROSES

To the person unacquainted with the various methods of producing Roses it is necessary to say a few words in regard to the way in which Dingee Roses are grown. For over 75 years we have produced Roses in the same manner, and in all that time we have had very few complaints concerning the strength of the stock which we send out. In fact, in our files there are thousands of letters testifying to the satisfaction which Dingee Roses have given.



Fig. 1



Fig. 2

Own root Roses are Roses which are grown on roots which are sent out from a slip taken from a parent plant. This means that only the blood of a parent is in the new plant. In figure 1 can be seen a so-called rooted cutting. Notice the fibrous roots which have formed at the base of the cutting and also the manner in which the growth is sent forth from the two eyes just above the sand in which the cutting is rooted. It can easily be seen that once such roots are established the plant will grow for years, barring diseases and winter-killing, which of course can be guarded against. In other words, a plant produced in this manner is one which has all the characteristics of its parent, and these remain unchanged throughout the years. All growth on such a plant is made from its own roots and this growth is a natural one, not growth produced by unnatural means.

On the other hand grafted stock, for which great advantages are claimed, is the growth of a Rose on roots which are those of a different sort of plant entirely. Grafted Roses are produced by placing a bud of the variety of Rose which is desired under the bark of a plant of some specie of shrub, as shown in figure 2. This means that the growth of the bud is derived from the wild roots, and the budded part acquires some of the characteristics of the understock.

Now, as the growth of the bud is very rapid and vigorous, the wood is soft and not the kind of wood that is sent forth from a plant on its own roots. Such a Rose usually blooms the first season. The growth is strong for two or three years, but then, as time goes on, the wild stock begins to assert itself, and because of its more vigorous character sends forth its own growth. That part of the plant which has been budded loses its vigor as the wild stock gains in vigor. Wild shoots are sent forth, and even if these are cut back, the increasing loss of vigor means that the days of the grafted part is over.

Figure 4 shows how the budded part of the plant has died, and shows the vigor and strength of the wild part which has asserted itself.

In other words, own root Roses mean **permanency** while grafted Roses mean rapid growth but a butterfly life. Figures 3, 5 and 6 show the wonderful strength and marvelous growth of own root plants. Figure 3 is a first size plant as sent out by us; figure 5 is a two-year-old Rose grown in a five-inch pot, and figure 6 is a two-year-old Rose, with the soil in which it was grown left on the roots, and wrapped ready to ship.

The Dingee & Conard Co., West Grove Pa.,  
Gentlemen:-

Last fall I bought a number of grafted or budded Roses and this spring due to the bad weather we have been having lots of cold rain with cold wintry blasts, nearly all of them have died off. As fast as I can I want to replace with own root stock. Thanking you for your kind attention, I am

Mr. P. B. Bennett

Baltimore, Md.



Fig. 5—Two-Year-Old Rose in Pot



Fig. 6



2-Year-Old Rose Taken Out of Pot  
Showing How the Soil  
Remains on roots.



Fig. 3



Fig. 4





## HOW TO GROW "DINGEE ROSES"

All Dingee Roses are propagated under such favorable conditions that our shibboleth, "Dingee Roses Go and Grow Everywhere," is literally true; but common sense tells us that certain kinds of Roses thrive better in some localities than in others. We have tried to indicate as nearly as possible, in connection with the different classes of Roses, the section of the country in which each will thrive to its full perfection with the least amount of protection.

### PREPARATION OF BEDS

The way to get the best results from Roses when planted in beds is to make a trench to a depth of 15 to 18 inches, that is, the soil should be removed to that depth, well pulverized and mixed with from one-third to one-fourth its bulk with well-rotted animal manure, cow stable manure preferable where it can be obtained. Before filling in the bed it is well to put in some material for drainage, such as soft coal cinders, broken crockery or stones, not too large. Then return the soil to the trench, and when returned it should stand from 3 to 4 inches higher than the surrounding ground, as it will quickly settle below the surface. It is necessary to do this in order that rainwater will drain quickly away from the bed. If, however, the soil you remove from the trench is not the best Rose soil, as the best kind of soil for Roses is a clayey loam; if your soil does not contain this, it can be improved by mixing in sods from the roadside or fields; but if your soil is too heavy, it should be lightened with a portion of sand. The selection of your bed is a very important matter. Roses thrive best where they can secure all the sun possible; that is, do not plant them close to trees or shrubbery, as the roots of these extend farther than the branches. Select, if possible, an open situation, where the plants will receive plenty of air and sunshine. A southeastern exposure is an ideal one. They will, however, do well in other locations, if given the necessary care. Roses do better if they are watered in the morning.

### FERTILIZER

This is a question we are frequently requested to answer. Cow manure is generally preferred, and can be used in fresh condition. Horse manure when new is very heating and should not be used while in this condition, except as a winter mulch. Hog, sheep and chicken manure are also very helpful. The last two, however, should be used sparingly. Ground bone is beneficial, but should be secured as fine as possible, and it should be used sparingly. The best method is sprinkling a portion over the bed until the ground is entirely covered, then with the use of a fork it can be dug into the soil and thoroughly mixed. Air slaked lime is also beneficial, about a cupful to a plant scattered on the surface in early spring and midsummer. A mulching of cow stable manure is very beneficial during the growing season. It helps to retain the moisture during the dry season, as well as a food for the roots.

### PLANTING

As soon as the plants are received it is best to immediately plant, yet if it is impossible to do this the plant should be placed in a cellar or moderately warm place and protected from the sun. Set them upright to admit the free circulation of air. When you receive them they will be wrapped in Sphagnum Moss, which should be removed

before planting, as it is used only for protection. Water freely from time to time. The roots should be covered with soil or burlap and never allowed to become dry. Soaking the roots in lukewarm water or thin mud for an hour or two before planting to restore their vitality is beneficial. Do not set the plants too shallow. They should be planted deeper than they were growing in the pots before shipping. This can easily be determined by an examination of the plant. If you receive them with the soil on the roots in which they have been growing, do not remove this soil. Give them as near a natural position as possible. Use plenty of water after planting and shade for a few days, if the sun is hot, with newspaper or similar material, and if the season is a dry one an occasional watering will be beneficial. The best time to plant Roses such as we send out, being pot-grown, own-root stock, is in early spring, but the pot-grown rose plants may be planted any time during the growing season, March, April, May, June, July or August. This refers entirely to pot-grown plants and not dormant plants. By dormant plants we mean field-grown; that is, lifted from the field and have not made any growth whatever. Such plants as these should be set out earlier than pot-grown plants.

### PRUNING

As a rule, the Roses that we send out do not need any pruning, being pot-grown plants. However, if the bushes are more spreading than is desired, it does not injure the plant any to prune it back. This applies only to the pot-grown plants. Pruning can be done at any season of the year with a certain class of Roses, but it is a matter to be governed by the judgment of the possessor of the plants. The best time for pruning is early spring, just before they begin to break at the eyes. Then it is well to trim Roses back to about one-third to one-half the season's growth. The larger and heavier the growth the more it should be trimmed.

### WINTER PROTECTION

The protection necessary to keep Roses safely through the winter months depends entirely upon the character of the plant and the location. For such Roses as the Hybrid Perpetuals, Rugosas, Harrison's Yellow, etc., very little protection, if any, is necessary in any climate, yet it is beneficial in the cold latitudes of the North to give them protection of straw horse stable manure after the first hard freeze. The soil itself is a good protection. When protecting the Teas and Hybrid Teas it is a good plan to mound the earth about each plant, or use clean sand about six inches deep, then fill in between the mounds with straw stable manure, the coarser the better. The uncovered tops may be tied up with straw or burlap. This protection should be gradually removed in March in the latitude of Philadelphia, or as soon as all danger of hard freezing is over. The tender Roses may also be wintered in boxes or pots of soil in a cool cellar or heeled in the earth itself. Where you have a dirt floor two or three waterings will be required during the winter, just sufficient to prevent drying out.

### DISEASES AND INSECTS

**Mildew**—This disease very frequently attacks the foliage of Roses, especially the Crimson Rambler. It is shown by a grayish crinkling appearance of the leaves and usually occurs after a change in the temperature.





It can be checked to a certain extent by sprinkling the leaves with powdered sulphur immediately after its appearance. If, however, this does not check it, dissolve one ounce of potassium sulphuret in two gallons of cold water and apply as a fine spray, or use the material offered elsewhere as Fungtrogen.

**Green Fly or Aphis.**—A green sucking insect which usually gathers in great numbers upon the tips of the new growth. A solution of tobacco made from tobacco insecticide soap, which you will find offered elsewhere in this book, will exterminate them.

The Rose Bug is a familiar insect, appears in the earliest summer, sometimes in great quantities, and is very troublesome. It is a very destructive insect and usually feeds upon the white petals, but is easily destroyed by the use of **Insectrogen**—a new discovery for rose bugs said to be very good. Offered elsewhere.

**Black Spot.**—A fungous disease, appearing as its name indicates as a black spot upon the leaf, eventually turning yellow and falling. It rarely occurs in the early part of the season and the Teas are almost but not quite exempt

from its ravages. The best preventive if your bushes have been troubled with it in the past is spraying in April with Bordeaux Mixture before the foliage has developed and not while the flowers are in bloom, because of the discoloration of the foliage, also the material **Fungtrogen** recommended for mildew.

**Hardiness.**—Hardiness in a Rose is a matter of which no one can speak with positive certainty, because the condition of the weather, as a rule, prescribes the hardiness of a plant, as quite frequently plants that have been one year after year will be winter-killed by unusual conditions.

**For Growing Roses for Cut Flowers.**—In greenhouses, such as Columbia, Premier, Killarneys, American Beauty, Bride, Bridesmaid Milady, Ophelia, My Maryland, Lady Hillingdon, Sunburst, Kaiserin Augusta Victoria. For outdoor growing for cut-flower purposes none is better adapted for this than the Cochet and Charles Dingee.

**For Cemeteries.**—The Souperets, Baby Ramblers and Memorial or Wichuraiana.

## TERMS, GUARANTEE AND HOW WE SHIP

### TERMS

Our terms are cash with order. Goods will be shipped C. O. D. if one-half of amount is remitted with order. Money may be sent at our risk by Post Office Order, Express Money Order, Bank Draft, Personal Check, Money in Registered Letter. We will be responsible for the safe carriage of money sent us by any of these ways, and, if lost, we will give full value. Stamps accepted for amounts less than \$1.00. Canadian customers can remit by International Money Order on West Grove, Bank Draft or currency in Registered Letter. Canadian postage stamps have no value here.

### OUR GUARANTEE

We guarantee safe arrival of all goods, to any place in U. S. A., and if they do not arrive in that condition, advise us promptly. During the busy season, when it is necessary to do practically the entire business of the year in a period of a few weeks, it is a physical impossibility to answer each and every complaint promptly; but you need have no fear but what the matter will be attended to just as soon as we possibly can reach it, and anything that is not satisfactory will be made so.

It seems impossible not to make mistakes during the rush season; the right label may be attached to the wrong plant, but we believe the full value is always represented; in fact, we always endeavor to do better than your order calls for. It sometimes happens that a certain variety will run out, and in such cases we reserve the right to substitute another of the same color and of equal, if not better, value unless instructed to the contrary.

**Complaints.**—When the goods reach you, if there is any complaint it must be made within ten days, other wise we cannot entertain it.

### HOW WE SHIP

The first size Roses and other plants, such as Geraniums, Chrysanthemums, etc., are sent by parcel post prepaid at the prices quoted, soil removed from roots and wrapped in wax paper and damp moss, unless you desire soil left on the roots, when we make an additional charge of 1½c per plant on 12 plants or more and 2c per

plant on less than 12 plants, to send by parcel post, or we will send by express at your expense without additional charge. The two and three-year-old Roses and shrubs are sent by express at your expense, unless you desire to have them sent by parcel post with soil on their roots the same as if they were sent by express, and at your expense. In other words we will send C. O. D., for the postage required plus C. O. D. free. We can send 70 pounds to the first and second and third zones and 50 pounds to the other zones.

### INSTRUCTIONS FOR ORDERING

**Please Observe Carefully.**—When ordering, please use the order sheet provided for that purpose whenever possible. Simply fill up the blanks, giving the number and name of the varieties wanted, with size and price; we will understand.

**Order Early.**—Many of our customers order early, and the plants are set aside; the earlier you order the better. We will book for delivery whenever you direct, or at the time we consider proper to plant such stock ordered.

**Parcel Post C. O. D.**—If you desire your order, no matter how small, sent C. O. D. by parcel post, we can do so at an additional cost of only 12 cents, provided one-half the amount of the order is sent in advance, and the small fee for the money order, which is 3 cents up to \$2.50; 5 cents up to \$5.00, making it much cheaper than by express, as you have no express charges and additional charge for returning money.

**Canadian Customers.**—Canadian laws permit sending Roses or Shrubs into Canada at any time, but a permit must be secured from the Secretary of the Destructive Insect and Pest Advisory Board, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa. Owing to the rate of postage on Canadian orders we must request an additional 20 per cent to cover postage.

**Foreign Orders.**—Twenty-five per cent extra should be added to orders going outside the United States proper to pay extra cost of packing and postage. To countries with which we have a parcel post, goods can be sent by mail.





Dingee Gladioli

## New and Rare Varieties

20 cts. each; 6 for \$1.00. 1 each of the 10 varieties for \$1.50.

The following varieties are the choicest of the newer sorts. The beauty of the bloom must be seen to be appreciated.

**Mrs. Frank Pendleton.** In color a lovely salmony-pink with brilliant deep, red blotches in the throat.

**Gretchen Zang.** A most beautiful soft melting shade of pink, blending into deep salmon on the lower petals. Approaches the brilliant colorings of the Beaute Poitevine Geranium.

**Prince of Wales (The Gladiolus Beautiful).** The color is superb, a gorgeous clear grenadine-pink or glistening salmon with slight apricot reflections, melting to a throat of the sweetest yellow, the tips of petals shaded darker or apricot-buff.

**Flora.** A new golden yellow variety of great excellence, being a free, strong grower with splendid spikes and flowers of large size.

**Evelyn Kirkland.** A splendid variety with large flowers of wonderful substance of rosy pink at the edges passing to shell-pink in the throat, with fiery scarlet blotches on lower petals.

**War.** Flowers deep brilliant crimson, large size.

**Peace.** The large flowers are almost pure white; there is a trace of lilac on the lower petals.

**Scarlet Princes.** Brilliant scarlet-crimson, with three broad white blotches on the lower petals.

**Schwaben (The Primrose).** Delicate primrose with yellow and crimson center. Magnificent large flower and spike.

**Mrs. Dr. Norton.** Very large flowers well set on a tall and graceful spike with 4 to 8 flowers in bloom at one time. Color, white, with edges of petals suffused with soft La France pink; a very choice variety.

## Giant Persian Cyclamen

The most beautiful and decorative of all pot plants. The foliage is dark olive-green, beautifully variegated with silver and rose. The fairy-like flowers are carried on long stems, produced for several successive months. The flowers, which are of odd form, embrace every delightful shade of color and are a distinctive feature of this handsome house plant. We offer splendid strong plants in white, rose, crimson or salmon in large plants from 3 to 4 inch pots ready to bloom, at 50 cts. each; 6 for \$2.50.

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**12 Choicest Named Gladioli \$1.25**

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Selected from hundreds of the best varieties. In size of flowers, blooming quality and diversity of color, none will compare with these.

**America.** The most beautiful variety in cultivation. Soft flesh-pink, slightly tinged with lavender.

**Chicago White.** Pure white; lavender stripes on lower petals.

**Panama.** A seedling of the famous America, with the same splendid form and substance, but is a richer, deeper pink.

**Baron Hulot.** Rich, royal violet-blue. This when cut in combination with one of the yellow varieties is truly exquisite.

**Brenchleyensis.** Bright scarlet-vermilion.

**Halley (The Early Giant).** Salmon-pink, immense.

**Wilbrink.** A favorite variety for cutting; very early flowering, color delicate pink.

**Heracla.** Very large flowers of pure mauve with deeper markings in the throat; on tall, straight spikes.

**Niagara.** Cream and yellow; throat splashed carmine.

**Mrs. Frances King.** A striking shade of light scarlet or flame color; one of the most effective both in the border and when cut.

**Le Marechal Foch.** (This might briefly be described as an improved America, having the same soft flesh-pink color, but with much larger blooms and coming into flower two weeks earlier.)

**Yellow Hammer.** Pure yellow lightly marked with red in throat, very beautiful.

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These hybrids, gained by crossing the species *Primulinus* with the larger varieties of the *Gandavensis* type, have retained all the daintiness and graceful form of their *Primulinus* parent even to the "hood" formed by the drooping of the upper petal, and have added beauty of exquisite coloring from the softest primrose to a beautiful rose. 50 cts. per dozen.

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Giant Persian Cyclamen



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**Strong Pot Plants. Postpaid. They Bloom the First Year.**

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**PACIFIC SUPREME**—A beautiful shade of deep pink; flowers of immense size and excellent form. Blooms early. Flowers develop without fading. One of the best pinks.

**YELLOW BABY (Pompom)**—Golden yellow, large and button type.

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**FAIRY QUEEN (Pompom)**—Beautiful shade of deep pink. One of the best.

**GOLDEN GLORY**—Golden-yellow, Ball shaped. Petals beautifully overlapping.

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**HARVARD**—Darkest crimson scarlet. The only deep scarlet. Fine form and very large.

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A Specimen of Dingee Chrysanthemum

## How to Grow Chrysanthemums

BY AN AMATEUR

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Procure strong plants from reliable florists in the spring. Put them in 3- or 4-inch pots at first, in good, rich soil and plunge the pots in the ground, or dig a trench and set the pots in it, filling in around with coal ashes. This keeps the worms out of the pots and keeps the roots nice and cool. Chrysanthemums require lots of water and should never be allowed to become dry. Early morning is the best time to water. Water and shower thoroughly, as one good watering is worth half a dozen if only half done. Repot the plants about twice, first in a 6-inch pot and last in an 8-inch pot. Make the soil a little richer each time the plants are repotted. The plants can also be mulched with manure, which answers the double purpose of keeping the roots cool and moist and also furnishes food for the plant. As soon as the buds form in the fall it is better to add a little manure water when sprinkling, weak at first, but gradually adding more, increasing the watering until it can be used every day. For insects, such as black Aphids, use tobacco dust. If large flowers are desired, pinch off all buds and allow only a few to bloom. If a big single flower is desired, pinch off all the side branches, allowing only the crown bud to bloom. After the frosty nights come in the fall the pots are taken in the house and kept in a cool room, where the flowers will develop and remain nice for a long time.

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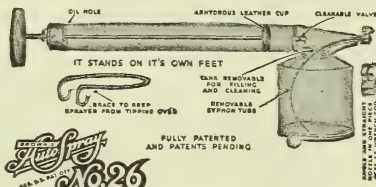
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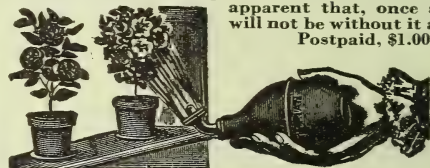
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Bed of Famous West Grove Cannas

## Famous West Grove Cannas

The introduction of these wonderful decorative plants in this country is so woven into the history of West Grove that it is known far and near as the home of magnificent plants. Cannas are easily grown, and will thrive in almost any situation.

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**Apricot.** 4 feet. The color is a buff-yellow base overspread with salmon-pink, making a mass effect of rich apricot. The chief characteristic of this flower is its marvelous durability, for it stands heavy rain and hot sun. The flowers of most Cannas are not suitable for cutting, but Apricot is a notable exception.

**Nokomis.** 5 feet. Large, vivid crimson flowers with a rich silky sheen on the petals. Rich bronze foliage.

**Buttercup.** Bright, buttercup-yellow; extra large. Three feet.

**Golden Gate.** 3½ feet. Blooms when opening are almost pure gold but soon change to orange-crimson and apricot, with deep carmine red at throat.

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On this and the page following we give a complete alphabetical list of all the Roses offered in this book, showing the class to which they belong, the page on which they are described, and the price of each.

Abbreviations Used: Tea, Everblooming Teas: H. T., Hybrid Teas; B. C., Bourbon, Bengal and China; H. P., Hardy Hybrid Perpetuals; C. T., Climbing Tea; C. N., Climbing Noisette; H. C., Hardy Climbing; M., Moss; T. P., Tea Polyantha; P., Polyantha or Fairy; Rug., Rugosa; W., Wichuraiana, or Memorial; Rug., Hybrid Rugosa; C. H. T., Climbing Hybrid Teas; N., Noisette.

Varieties	Class	1st size Cents	2-year Cents	Page	Varieties	Class	1st size Cents	2-year Cents	Page	Varieties	Class	1st size Cents	2-year Cents	Page
Aglaia	H. C.	25	75	34	Climb. Sunburst	C. H. T.	50	1 25	35	Gloire de Dijon	C. T.	30	80	31
Agrippina	B. C.	30	85	18	Clim. Virginia R. Cox	C. H. T.	30	85	35	Gloire Lyonnaise	H. P.	30	85	19
Albert Barbier	H. C.	25	75	33	Climbing White Kil-					Golden Gate	T.	25	75	39
Alex. Hill Gray	Tea	25	75	38	larney	C. H. T.	30	85	36	Goldfinch	H. C.	30	75	34
Allister Stella Gray	C. T.	30	80	31	Clim. W. Maman Cochet	C. T.	30	80	31	Gold of Ophir	C. T.	30	80	31
Amelia Gude	H. T.	30	85	15	Clim. White Pet.	H. C.	25	75	33	Gorgeous	H. C.	30	85	15
America	H. T.	30	1 50	7	Climbing Wootton	C. H. T.	30	85	35	Green Rose	B. C.	30	85	18
American Beauty	H. P.	30	85	19	Clotilde Soupert	P.	25	75	37	Greville	H. C.	25	75	32
American Legion	H. T.	30	85	10	Cloth of Gold	C. T.	25	75	31	Grass an Auchen	H. T.	30	85	13
American Pillar	H. C.	25	75	34	Columbia	H. T.	30	85	12	Grass an Teplitz	H. T.	30	85	37
Anna de Diesbach	H. P.	30	85	19	Col. Oswald Fitzgerald	H. T.	30	85	9	Hadley	H. T.	30	85	13
Annie Laurie	H. T.	30	85	12	Commonwealth	H. T.	30	85	12	Heart of Gold	H. C.	50	1 50	6
Anny Muller	P.	25	75	37	Conrad Ferd. Meyer	Rug.	30	85	18	H. D. M. Barton	H. T.	30	85	19
Antonie Revoire	H. T.	30	85	10	Cornelia Cook	T.	25	75	39	Heinrich Munch	H. P.	30	85	19
Antonie Verdier	H. T.	30	85	16	Coquette d'Blanches	H. P.	30	85	19	Helen Cambier	H. T.	30	85	17
Apolline	B. C.	30	85	18	Coquette de Lyon	T.	25	75	39	Helen Gould	H. T.	30	85	20
Archduke Charles	B. C.	30	85	18	Cramoisi Superior	B. C.	30	85	18	Henrietta	H. T.	50	1 50	5
Augustine Guinoisseau	H. T.	30	85	16	Crimson Champion	H. T.	30	85	9	Henri Martin	M.	30	85	32
Aunt Harriet	H. C.	25	75	34	Crimson Maman Cochet	Tea	30	85	20	Hermosa	B. C.	30	85	18
Aviateur Bleriot	H. C.	25	75	33	Crimson Queen	H. T.	30	85	17	Hiawatha	H. C.	25	75	32
Baby Doll	P.	25	75	37	Crimson Rambler	H. C.	25	75	34	Hoosier Beauty	H. T.	30	85	17
Baby Tausendschon	P.	25	75	37	Crusader	H. T.	30	85	15	Hortulanus Budde	Per.	50	1 50	6
Baltimore Bell	H. C.	30	80	31	Daily Mail	H. T.	30	1 50	6	Hortulanus Fiet	H. T.	50	1 50	5
Beau Carmine	B. C.	30	85	18	Dame Edith Helen	H. T.	50	1 50	4	Ideal	P.	25	75	37
Belle of Portugal	C. T.	50	1 50	6	David O. Dodd	H. T.	50	1 50	7	Imp. Universal Favorite	W.	20	65	36
Bess Lovett	H. C.	25	75	34	Dean Hole	H. T.	30	85	17	Isabella Sprunt	T.	25	75	38
Bessie Brown	H. T.	30	85	11	Debutante	W.	20	65	36	Ivory	T.	25	75	38
Betty	H. T.	30	85	11	Devoniensis	T.	25	75	39	Jacotte	H. C.	25	75	34
Betty Uprichard	H. T.	50	1 50	5	Dorothy Page Roberts	H. T.	50	2 50	10	James Sprunt	C. T.	30	80	31
Birdie Blye	H. C.	25	75	34	Dorothy Perkins	H. C.	25	75	34	J. B. Clark	H. P.	30	85	19
Blanche Moreau	M.	30	85	32	Double White Baby					Jean Girin	H. C.	25	75	33
Blue Rose	H. C.	25	75	34	Rambler	P.	25	75	37	Jersey Beauty	W.	20	65	36
Blumenschmidt	Tea	25	75	39	Douglas	B. C.	30	85	18	Jessie	P.	25	75	37
Bon Silene	Tea	25	75	38	Dr. Van Fleet	H. C.	25	75	33	John Cook	H. T.	50	1 50	7
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Climb. Lady Ashtown	C. H. T.	30	85	35	Francois Levet	H. P.	30	85	19	Mad. Jules Grolez	H. T.	30	85	17
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German Iris

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The memory of the "Blue Flag" of the old-time gardens is one ever sweet to those whose lives were lived in such surroundings, and while the "modern" Irises, if we may use the term, will remind one of the old days, they, too, like everything else of these days, have yielded to the influence of improvement, and there has been evolved a race of flowers absolutely bewildering in glory of their form and color.

**Canary Bird** (Flavescens). Lovely pale yellow.  
**Darius**. Yellow and lilac.  
**Honorabilis**. Deep yellow; mahogany falls.  
**Florentina Alba** (Silver King). Early white.  
**Ingeborg** (Interregna). Immense white; extra early.  
**Mrs. H. Darwin**. White, violet veining, rather dwarf.  
**Lohengrin**. Foliage and flowers immense, of a deep violet mauve, almost pink; a wonderful flower.  
**Queen of May** (Rosy Morn). Lovely rose lilac.  
**Madame Thibault**. White, bordered rose lilac companion to Mad. Chereau; edge more pinkish.  
**Cheron**. Standard lilac-mauve; falls violet-mauve.  
**Price, strong field-grown roots, 15 cts. each; 8 for \$1.00, postpaid. Mixed varieties, 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.**

## Hardy Perennials

**Yucca Filamentosa**—Spanish Bayonet. A low-growing evergreen plant with narrow leaves. The flower stalk is from 2 to 4 feet high and rises from the center. Creamy white, bell-shaped flowers. 25 cts. each.

**Funkia** (Day Lily) **Subcordata Grandiflora**. White Day Lily. Handsome spikes of large, waxy-like blossoms, with an odor like that of orange blossoms, and large broad, glossy, light-green foliage. One foot to 18 inches. 25 cts. each.

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**Funkia Coerulea**. Broad green leaves; blue flowers in June. 25 cts. each.

**Bleeding Heart** (*Dicentra Spectabilis*). One of the finest plants known for borders, pots or for planting in any sunny situation. If potted in November and left outside until it has formed new roots and then is brought into gentle heat, it will flower early in March. The beautiful rose-colored flowers are produced in great abundance and are heart shaped. When planted in the open ground it flowers in April and May. Absolutely hardy. Strong, dormant roots. 75 cts. each, postpaid.

**Delphinium** (*Belladonna*). Everblooming hardy Larkspur. The most beautiful sky blue of dwarf habit. 3 to 4 feet. Blooms all summer until cut down by frost. 25 cts. each, postpaid.

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**Delphinium Chinese Album**. A white flowered form. 2 feet. 25 cts. each, postpaid.

**Rubeckia, Golden Glow**. Grows 6 to 8 feet high, branching freely and bearing by the hundreds on long, graceful stems exquisite double flowers of golden yellow. 25 cts. each, postpaid.

**Hardy Gloxinia**—*Incarvillea Delavayi*. Rose-pink flowers produced in large trusses. Succeeds either in sun or shade. A valuable plant for the hardy border, producing lovely begonia-like flowers with deep yellow throats all summer, 15 inches high. Strong field-grown roots. 75 cts. each.

## Dingee Hardy Violets

Rich in modest beauty and famed for its enchanting fragrance, the Violet continues to increase in popularity. With the last snows of winter still about it this gentle flower shyly appears from out of its icy bed, heralding the coming of spring. All our plants are absolutely clean and healthy and will produce highly satisfactory results.

**Prices, strong plants, 15 cts. each; any 12 for \$1.50. If 100 plants are wanted ask for prices.**

**California**. The largest violet in cultivation. Rich, violet-blue, flowers on long stems.

**Lady Hume Campbell**. Double blue. Strong, healthy and perfectly hardy.

**Prince of Wales**. One of the best. The large, blue, single flowers are deliciously fragrant.

**Swanley White**. Pure white, perfectly double, fragrant flowers.

**Peacock, New Violet**. This is an entrancingly beautiful new Violet; the markings of its charming color are difficult to describe. The prevailing color is white, with delicate tracings and markings of sky blue.

**Frey's Fragrant**. The flowers are rich dark purple color and are carried erect on long and strong stems. For freedom of bloom this new variety outclasses all others. Very fragrant.

## Lily-of-the-Valley

One of the most universally known and admired plants. The graceful spikes with the dainty pure white bells, are a delight to the eye, and their delicate fragrance is exquisite. Plants succeed almost anywhere, but prefer a partly shaded situation and rich soil. For house culture, plant rather thickly in pots or boxes, scatter some moss or other light material over the soil, which must not cover the crown; water well and set away in a dark, cold place where they will not freeze or bury pot in ground for several days. When brought to heat and light after a few weeks, the leaves and flowers will soon appear. Ready for delivery in November. Strong-flowering crowns. Three for 25 cts.; 75 cts. per dozen; \$6.00 per 100, postpaid.

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These hardy perennial herbs give such a striking effect to any hardy border or if planted as individual specimens in yard or garden. Graceful habit of growth producing tall spikes of delightfully feathered heads of flowers during June and July. Easily grown and when planted in the Fall bloom the following Spring. We offer large field-grown clumps of the leading varieties.

**America**. Deep pink.

**Gladstone**. Immense trusses of snow white flowers, 18 inches high.

**Queen Alexandra**. Light pink.

**Rubens**. Rosy red. Handsome feathered spikes.

**Peach Blossom**. Rose pink.

**Price, strong field clumps, \$1.00, postpaid; \$10.00 per doz.**

## Tritoma

(Red-Hot Poker, Flame Flower or Torch Lily.)

The Everblooming Flame Flower is one of the great bedding plants on account of the continuous blooming qualities. Succeeds in any garden soil, but responds quickly to liberal treatment. Hardy north of Pennsylvania if given protection. A good plan is to lift them in the Fall and store in cellar buried in sand or soil. Blooms from August to October with spikes 3 to 4 feet and heads of bloom of a rich orange scarlet. Strong field-grown stock 50 cts. each, postpaid.



Lily-of-the-Valley



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**Mareton Pink.** Beautiful flesh or Malmaison pink.

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## DINGEE EXQUISITE SWEET PEAS

### New Sweet Peas, Spencer Type

**Price.** Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 30 cts.; ¼ lb., \$1.00, postpaid.

Spencer sweet peas are the largest and most beautiful of all known Sweet Peas, the flowers frequently measuring two to two and a half inches across. They are also remarkable for their profusion of continuous bloom.

**America Spencer.** Ground color ivory-white, distinctly striped with brilliant crimson-red.

**Apple Blossom.** Color of the true apple blossom.

**Asta Ohn Spencer.** The color is a charming soft lavender.

**Aurora.** White striped orange.

**Dobbie's Cream.** Deep cream or primrose.

**Fiery Cross.** Standard; fiery red or rich orange scarlet.

**Florence Nightingale.** Bluish lavender.

**Mrs. Cuthbertson.** Rose pink, wings nearly white.

**Robert Sydenham.** Glowing orange throughout.

**White Spencer.** Pure white.

**Countess Spencer.** Silvery white suffused soft rose-pink.

**Blanche Ferry.** Popular pink and white. Extra early.

**Margaret Atlee.** Rosy salmon buff.

**Mary Pickford.** Large flower. Cream pink suffused salmon. Oz., 70c.

**Othello.** Deep maroon.

**Royal Scot.** Glowing scarlet cerise.

**Royal Purple.** Rich purple.

**Hercules.** Pure pink.

**Vermillion Brilliant.** Bright scarlet.

**Hawmark.** Maroon, best maroon. **Hawmark.** Salmon pink.

**Hawmark.** Cerise. **Hawmark.** Scarlet.

**Helen Lewis.** Intense crimson-orange. Blooms enormous.

**King Edward VII.** Bright crimson self-color.

**Spencer Varieties Mixed.** A good mixture of leading varieties. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 25 cts.; ¼ lb., 90c.

## Sweet Peas, Standard Varieties

**Price of Standard Varieties.** Pkt., 5 cts.; 6 for 25 cts.; oz., 25 cts.

**Lord Nelson.** Deep navy blue.

**Othello.** Deep maroon. **Aurora.** White striped orange.

**Prima Donna.** Pale soft pink. Flowers large.

**Blanche Ferry.** Popular pink and white. Extra early.

**Lady Griseld Hamilton.** Light lavender-blue.

**Queen Alexandria.** A fadless scarlet gem.

**King Edward VII.** Bright crimson self-color.

**Miss Wilmott.** Orange pink.

**America.** Blood red, striped white.

**Florence Nightingale.** Bright blue.

**Mixed Sweet Peas.** This surpassing mixture includes the very finest and most distinct varieties now in cultivation. Large pkts., 5 cts.; oz., 20 cts.; ¼ lb., 50 cts.



## General List of Flower Seeds

**Sweet Alyssum** (Little Gem). Very dwarf and spreading. Grows 3 to 4 inches high, one mass of white.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 25 cts.

**Old-Fashioned White.**  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 25 cts.

**Balsam** (Camellia Flowered). Produces a wonderful profusion of Camellia-like flowers. Pkt., 10 cts.

**Calendula** (Pot Marigold). **Orange King.** Rich dark orange.

**Royal Trianon.** Sulphur yellow tipped brown.

**Cobaea Scandens.** Rapid climber, bell shaped flowers. Pkt., 10 cts.

**Carnations** (New Dwarf Marguerite). Equaling the finest Carnations. Pkt., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 40 cts.

**Candytuft** (Dwarf Hybrids). Large clusters of varicolored flowers. Perfectly hardy. Pkt., 10 cts.

**Convolvulus** (Morning Glory) Major Mixed. Pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.

**Minor.** Fine for edging. Oz., 15 cts.

**The Cardinal Climber** (Ipomoea Quamoclit Hybrida). The flowers are cardinal red and about  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches in diameter, borne in clusters of seven to eleven blooms each. Packets containing 15 seeds each, 15 cts.; 2 pkts. for 25 cts.

**Castor Oil Bean** (Ricinus Zanzibariensis). Oz., 20 cts.

**Splendid Mixed.** Oz., 20 cts.

**Celosia** (Cockscomb) Dwarf Glasgow Prize. Compact growth, 10 to 12 inches.

**Celosia.** Tall crimson. **Celosia.** Fine mixed.

**Cypress Vine** (Scarlet and White Mixed).  $\frac{1}{4}$  Oz., 25 cts.

**Scarlet Ivy-leaved.**  $\frac{1}{4}$  Oz., 25c.

**Coleus** New Success. Every variation, color, markings, is included in the "Success Coleus." Pkt., 15 cts.

**Cosmos** (Fall Blooming). New Mammoth (Giants of California) in separate colors. White, Pink, Crimson and Finest Mixed. Pkt., 10 cts.

**New Early Blooming Cosmos.** All colors. Pkt., 10 cts.

**Lady Lennox.** White. **Lady Lennox.** Pink.

**Eschscholtzia** (California Poppy), Mandarin. Scarlet.

**Golden West.** Bright orange-yellow flowers.

**Fine Mixed Seeds.** All colors. Oz., 30 cts.

**Alba.** Pure white. **Crimson.**

**Gypsophila** (Baby's Breath). The flowers are small, star-like and borne in feathery sprays.

**Elegans.** White and rose mixed. **Crimson.**

**Convent Garden.** White flowers.

**Gourds Spoon.** Oz. 35 cts. Mixed Varieties. Oz., 35 cts.

**Heliotrope** (Lemoine's Giant Hybrid). Immense trusses, fragrant flowers, in color from white or dark purple and violet red. Pkt., 15 cts.

**Midnight Royal Purple.** Pkt., 10 cts.

**Hollyhocks** (Double Allegheny). Fringed. Pkt., 10 cts.

**Charter's Superb Double.** Camellia-like flowers. Large and double, of the brightest colors. Pkt., 10 cts.

**Kochia Childsii.** The New Giant Summer Cypress, Burning Bush.  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. It grows 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  feet high and resembles a close-clipped ornamental evergreen. The globe-shaped or pyramidal bushes are close and compact and of a pleasing light green color.

**Kudzu Vine.** It will grow 8 to 10 feet the first year from seed, and after it has become established there seems to be no limit to its growth, 50 feet in a single season being not unusual. Its foliage is large, and covers well; it bears small racemes of rosy-purple, pea-shaped blossoms toward the close of August. A splendid subject for covering permanently verandas, dead trees, etc.

**Larkspur** (Double Dwarf Rocket). Finest Mixed.

**Tall Rocket.** Double Mixed.

**Marigolds** (Lemon Ball). Tall double mixed. Ball-like, lemon-yellow flowers.

**Dwarf Double Mixed.** Double flowers; deep orange. Pkt., 10 cts.

**Mignonette.** Goliath Red. Fine spikes of bright red. A most useful and desirable variety. Pkt., 10 cts.

**Sweet Mignonette.** The old-fashioned kind. Oz., 10 cts.

**Allan's Defiance.** Spikes closely set with florets of largest size. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 25 cts.

**White Moonflower.** Flowers 4 to 6 inches in diameter, beautiful silvery white. Pkt., 10 cts.

**Blue Moonflower.** Same as white but color clear, satiny blue, with well-defined crimson bars. Pkt., 10 cts.

**Petunias** (New Double Petunia "Marvelous"). Flowers measuring 5 inches across, frilled and ruffled; wide range of colors. Pkt., 20 cts.

**Fluffy Ruffle.** Fringed and ruffled. Pkt., 10 cts.

**Giants of California.** Flowers 5 inches in diameter of every conceivable shade. Pkt., 15 cts.; 2 pkts., 25 cts.

**Double Large Flowering** (Fringed Mixed). Pkt., 10 cts.

**Phlox Drummondii** (Alba Grandiflora). Pure white.

**Large Blood Red.** The darkest colors of Phlox.

**Lilac.** Soft bright lilac with white eye.

**Large Yellow.** Large flowers of straw-yellow.

**New Dwarf Phlox, Large Flowering Cecily.** Plants 6 to 8 inches high. All colored petals with white eye. Pkt., 10 cts.

**All colors mixed.** Pkt., 5 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 75 cts.

**Best Poppies** (Peony-Flowered Mixed). Double ball-shaped flowers of gigantic size.

**El Dorado.** Double Shirley. **Cherry Red.** Double.

**American Flag.** Large flowers, white, scarlet bordered.

**Shirley Mixed.** All colors. Oz., 50 cts.

**Improved Double Carnation Mixed.** Exceedingly double with beautifully fringed petals.  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 20 cts.

**Flanders.** Pkt., 10 cts.

**Salvia** (Scarlet Sage) Fireball. Forms bushy plant covered with fiery red spikes. 18 inches. Pkt., 10 cts.

**Splendens.** The original Scarlet Sage.  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. Pkt., 10 cts.

**Farinacea.** Rich, brilliant foliage. Long spikes of beautiful blue flowers. Pkt., 10 cts.

**Verbenas** (Scarlet Defiance). Brilliant scarlet. Pkt., 10 cts.

**Blue, White, Pink, Yellow or Purple shades.** Pkt., 10 cts.

**Hybrida Mixed.**  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 60 cts.

**Firefly.** Scarlet white eye. Pkt., 10 cts.

**Zinnias.** Easily grown; bloom continuously. Pkt., 10 cts.

**Double Giants, Scarlet, Double Purple, Double Yellow and Double Pink.** Finest Mixed. Pkt., 10 cts.

**Buttercup.** Pleasing yellow. Pkt., 10 cts.

**Wallflower.** Finest Mixed.

## Biennials and Perennials

These live in the garden over winter and bloom in the spring and summer of the following year.

**Delphinium** (Gold Medal Hybrids). Dark Blue Ever-blooming Hardy Larkspur. Pkt., 15 cts.

**Digitalis** (Foxglove), Fine Mixed. Long racemes of superb flowers in purple, white, yellow, rose, etc.

**Perennial Peas.** All varieties mixed.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 40 cts.

**Papaver** (Perennial Poppies). Single flowers of immense size, in rich glowing colors.

**Shasta Daisy.** An effective bedding plant, blooming all through the spring and summer months. Pkt., 10 cts.

**Sweet William.** The improved varieties make splendid plants for borders, with large heads of bloom.

**Perfection Single or Double Mixed.** Pkt., 10 cts.

**Campanula** (Canterbury Bells). Beautiful bell-shaped flowers of many colors are produced freely.

**Single Varieties, Double Varieties, Mixed.** Pkt., 10 cts.

**Dianthus Heddewigi.** Hardy Pinks, Single or Double mixed. Finest varieties. Pkt., 10 cts.

**Dianthus Heddewigi Laciniatus.** Single mixed fringed flowers of all colors. Pkt., 10 cts.

**Dianthus Fireball.** Rich blood-red flowers. Single or double varieties. Pkt., 10 cts.

**Dianthus Double Snowball.**

## Tall or Climbing Nasturtiums

**Pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.**

**Dingee's Variegated Leaved.** Flowers of numerous bright colors, produces a charming contrast with the variegated leaves.

**Chameleon.** Red and yellow on same plant.

**Dunnett's Orange.** Pure orange.

**Edward Otto.** Brownish lilac.

**Jupiter.** Pure orange.

**Hybrids of Madam Gunther.** An attractive and beautiful strain producing a profusion of bright colors.

**Gold Garnet.** Orange yellow garnet blotches.

**King Theodore.** Rich deep red dark foliage.

**Pearl.** Whitish. **Twilight.** Rose pink.

**Tom Pounce.** The running stems are closely set with small, neat leaves, numerous bright little flowers.

**Butterfly.** Sunflower yellow, spotted salmon pink.

**Scarlet.** Bright scarlet or crimson.

**Vesuvius.** Deep apricot.

**Ivy Leaved Mixed.**

**Majus, Finest Mixed Tall Nasturtiums.** A good assortment of the best colors. Oz., 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 60 cts.

## Dwarf or Tom Thumb Nasturtiums

**Pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 25 cts.**

**Beauty.** Scarlet blotched canary.

**King of Tom Thumb.** Deep scarlet.

**Bronze.** Burnished bronze.

**Chameleon.** Red and yellow.

**Pearl.** Whitish.

**Cloth of Gold.** Scarlet yellow foliage.

**Prince Henry.** Pale yellow and carmine.

**Crystal Palace Gem.** Deep yellow blotched red.

**Rose.** Pale pink.

**Empress of India.** Deep crimson.

**Spotted King.** Golden yellow barred crimson.

**Golden King.** Deep yellow, yellow foliage.

**Vesuvius.** Rich salmon rose, dark foliage.

**Yellow.** Golden yellow.

**Tom Thumb Varieties, Mixed.** One of the best mixtures. Oz. 20 cts.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 60 cts.

**King Theodore.** Rich red.





## Climbing Tea and Noisette Roses



These are the Roses which make such a glorious display in the warmer sections of the country, covering porches, pergolas and trellises with their handsome foliage and gorgeous flowers.

Those marked H. will be found hardy even in the coldest climate if given protection during the winter, while those marked M. H. are moderately hardy and especially valuable for open ground culture south of Philadelphia and in California.

### Marechal Niel

This is the wonderful garden Rose our friends in the Southland are so fortunate in being able to grow in their gardens to perfection.

Buds and flowers superb, extra large, very double and deliciously perfumed. Deep golden yellow. Blooms with greatest freedom. In the North, should have very careful protection in open ground during winter.

**Chromatella** (Cloth of Gold) (M. H.). Bright yellow.

**Climbing Devoniensis** (H.). White, tinged with blush.

**Fortune's Double Yellow** (M. H.). Bronzed yellow or coppery and fawn color.

**Solfaterre** (M. H.). Climbing habit; fine clear, sulphur-yellow; large, full and double.

**William Allen Richardson** (M. H.). Coppery-yellow, flushed with carmine.

**Allister Stella Gray**. Light Yellow.

**Pillar of Gold**. Rosy pink, base yellow.

**Climbing Bridesmaid**. Clear, dark pink.

**Climbing Marie Guillot**. Pure snow-white, tinged with pale yellow.

The Dingee & Conard Co., West Grove, Penna.  
Gentlemen:

Please send me your New Guide to Rose Culture.

I have a Charles Dingee Rose in my yard and it is a most wonderful one, worthy of its name.

Mrs. E. S. Hobler, Selma, California

The Dingee & Conard Co., West Grove, Penna.  
Gentlemen:

For years we have bought Dingee Roses, many of them delicate Teas, but it is rare we loose a Rose. Some of them are very hardy, twenty years old, and still blossom freely.

Yours truly,

Agnes M. Dickson, Oberlin, Ohio

### Climbing White Maman Cochet

The exquisite white flowers, every one of which is a perfect specimen of the White Maman Cochet Rose, are borne in great profusion, fairly covering the plant all summer, for it is one of the most constant bloomers of all the white climbing Roses. It is fairly hardy, but in the extreme North, it requires protection. It is a strong, vigorous grower, throwing up strong canes 15 to 20 feet long in a single season.

**Climbing Pink Maman Cochet**. A pure Maman Cochet Rose of the climbing habit. Sufficiently hardy to withstand the vigor of the northern winters with protection. Blooms throughout the growing season.

**Baltimore Belle**. Pale blush, variegated carmine-rose and white. Very double flowers in beautiful clusters.

**James Sprunt** (M. H.). Deep cherry-red, double.

**Gold or Ophir** (M. H.). Nasturtium-yellow. suffused with coppery-red.

**Lamarque** (M. H.). Light canary-yellow.

**Climbing Cecile Bruner**. Color rosy pink, rich, creamy-white ground. Needs protection.

**Striped Reine Marie Henriette**. Striped and flamed in bright carmine and pale rose.

**White Marechal Niel**. Identical with its parent, Yellow Marechal Niel, but pure white.

**Zepherin Drouat**. Flowers very large and double, of fine, bright rose color.

**Gloire de Dijon** (H.). Rich creamy white, beautifully tinged with amber and pale blush.

**Mary Washington** (H.). Pure white; perfectly double; borne in large clusters.

**Reine Marie Henriette** (H.). Extra large flowers, glowing crimson.

Price of all Roses on this page, strong plants, 30 cts. each; 4 for \$1.00; two-year-old plants, 80 cts. each; \$8.00 per dozen, by express, of one or more varieties; or 90 cts. each by Parcel Post, with soil on roots.



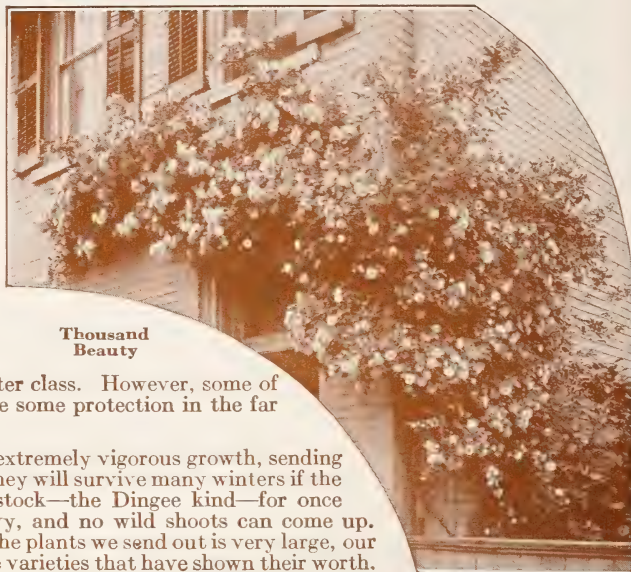
## DINGEE HARDY

### CLIMBING ROSES

Hardy Climbing Roses have become an absolute necessity for beautifying the home, for training over porches, verandas, trellises, and pergolas and for training of low supports to make the most beautiful flowering hedges. They can also be grown as individual specimen plants, when properly trained, for they can be kept trimmed to any shape.

In recent years great advance has been made in the development of this class of roses. Today there are climbers that have blooms rivalling the Hybrid Teas, and even hardier than roses of the latter class. However, some of the varieties are not as hardy as others, and require some protection in the far north. These will be indicated in the text.

Due to the fact that these roses are hardy, and of extremely vigorous growth, sending forth canes more than ten feet long in a single year, they will survive many winters if the proper kind of plants are used. Plant own-root stock—the Dingee kind—for once planted they last. The growth is strong and heavy, and no wild shoots can come up. Dingee Hardy Climbers are unexcelled. The size of the plants we send out is very large, our stock is almost unlimited, and our list includes all the varieties that have shown their worth.



Thousand  
Beauty

### Climbing American Beauty

The colors of carmine and crimson are those of the bush rose American Beauty. Exceptionally fine buds, opening into very large flowers of splendid form, borne on long stems, and available for cutting. Vigorous, healthy, leathery foliage, retained usually throughout the season. The blooming season is unusually long for a climbing Rose. Absolutely hardy, it is one of the best roses for pillars, pergolas, for climbing over verandas, or wherever a climber is desired. Its ease of growth make it the amateur's best bet.

**Newport Fairy.** A strong, sturdy grower, with healthy bright green foliage. Lovely single deep pink flowers, shaded lighter in center.

**White Dorothy.** It is a rampant grower, and in a short time will cover a large trellis. The flowers are of a brilliant glistening white.

### Moss Roses—The Old-time Favorites

Entirely hardy everywhere. Once planted are practically permanent. Flowers and buds have an abundance of lovely deep green moss.

**Blanche Moreau.** Produced in clusters, large, full and sweet; pure white; beautifully mossed.

**Henri Martin.** A splendid Moss Rose of a delightful pink, with buds beautifully mossed. Bush is extra hardy and profuse in bloom.

**Princess Adelaide.** A most beautifully mossed Rose of an exquisite shade of pink.

**Elizabeth Rowe.** This is an old favorite with its deep pink buds well mossed. A beauty.

**Moussline.** Pure white flowers, buds beautifully mossed.

Prices of Moss Roses on this page, first size plants, 30 cts. each; 4 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 85 cts. each; \$8.50 per dozen of one or more varieties, by express, or 95 cts. each by parcel post prepaid with soil on roots.

### Tausendschön (Thousand Beauties)

This well known climbing Rose is a favorite with all Rose-lovers, for its great mass of bloom makes a pleasing and impressive display. Large flowers, with ruffled petals, borne in enormous trusses, from 10 to 15 in a cluster. Colors vary through shades of yellow, cream, and rose pink. A tremendously vigorous plant, bearing thousands of blooms early in the season and continuing late. It is the most satisfactory of climbers.

**Empress of China.** The Apple Blossom Rose. Soft dark red, changing to light pink like an apple blossom.

**Northern Light.** Strong, upright grower, bearing quantities of beautiful pink and white Roses of various shades and combinations of color. Quite double.

**Hiawatha.** Single, deep, intense crimson shade; petals shading pure white at the base.

**Greville, or Seven Sisters.** Flowers in large clusters; varies from white to crimson.

**Prairie Queen.** A true perpetual bloomer, bearing flowers continuously throughout the season. Very fragrant; dark carmine Rose; large and very double.

**Climbing Frau Karl Druschki.** Glistening white flowers, magnificent, large, fresh green foliage; hardy everywhere.

**Pom Pom.** Beautiful, double, shining pink.

**Superba.** Bright rosy pink, clear and beautiful. (Clusters.)

**White Banksia.** Pure white, violet-scented flowers.

**Yellow Banksia.** Fine clear yellow; very full.

**Christine Wright.** Thick leathery, dark green foliage, practically immune from insects or disease. Blooms are produced singly and in large clusters, each bloom perfect in form and from 3 to 4 inches in diameter. Color an exquisite shade of bright wild-rose pink.

Prices of Climbing Roses on this page, except where noted: First size plants, 25 cts. each; any 5 for \$1.00; two-year-old plants, 75 cts.; \$7.50 per dozen of one or more varieties, or 85 cts. each by parcel post with soil on roots.





## HARDY CLIMBING ROSES—Continued

### Paul's Scarlet Climber

Startling, vivid scarlet colors have won for this Rose well deserved recognition as the most attractive climber ever introduced. It is a vigorous grower, produces a mass of bloom, and with its bright colors, which are retained without fading for a long period, it makes the most brilliant display imaginable. Heavy, disease resistant foliage; great freedom of bloom. Paul's Scarlet Climber is the

winner of innumerable medals for excellence, and is a Rose that no one should be without, for it is one that gives maximum returns with a minimum of care.



Paul's Scarlet Climber

### Alberic Barbier

Yellow, fading to cream. An abundance of blooms is produced early, and very often it will again bloom in the fall. Beautiful, glossy foliage, unaffected by disease.

**Dr. Robert Huey.** Buds and flowers medium size, semi-double to single in clusters of 3 or 4 on good stems. Can be used as a tall bush or pillar rose. Flowers similar to Paul's Scarlet Climber but color is a dark crimson of great brilliancy. Stamens and anthers light yellow.

**Mary Lovett.** A cross between a seedling Wichuraiana and Kaiserin Augusta Victoria and termed a "White Dr. Van Fleet." This rose is strongly recommended. Loses foliage early.

**Dr. W. Van Fleet.** Flowers when open run four inches and over in diameter. The center is built high, petals beautifully undulated and cupped. The color is a remarkable shade of flesh-pink on the outer surface, deepening to a rosy-flesh in the center. The flowers are full and double, of delicate perfume; buds pointed. It very much resembles

Souv. de Pres. Carnot in color. Strong, rapid grower. Immune from insects and disease. Foliage deep green the entire season.

**Keystone.** Blooms in wonderful profusion and continues blooming the entire season. The open flower of Keystone is perfectly double, with buds beautifully formed. It is a deep lemon-yellow Rose, similar to Coquette de Lyon. The fragrance is much like that of magnolia blossoms.

**Climbing White Pet.** Snow-white.

**Pride of Washington.** Bright amaranth, shaded rose center; double clusters.

**Lady Gay.** Flowers of a delicate cherry-pink, which fades to a soft white; deep green foliage.

**Gainsborough.** An extremely beautiful Rose, delicately tinted flesh, almost white, and lustrous as satin.

**Aviateur Bleriot.** Saffron-yellow, center golden-yellow; full and double, flowering in clusters.

**Tennessee Belle.** Bright rosy blush; large and fragrant.

**Rubin.** Flowers are large and more double than Crimson Rambler; color bright, shining crimson-scarlet. Hardy in all localities. A strong, rampant climber.

**Jean Girin** (The ever-blooming Dorothy Perkins). The flowers are similar in form and color to the pink Dorothy Perkins. The chief merit of this rose is that after giving a mass of bloom in June, unlike the other climbers, it blooms again. Cut off all of the old June blooms to help the plant produce more flowers during the summer and fall.

Price of all Hardy Climbing Roses offered on this page, 25 cts. each, 5 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 75 cts. each, by express. \$7.50 per dozen of one or more varieties, 6 at doz. rate 92 85 cts. each by parcel post, prepaid with soil on roots.





## HARDY CLIMBING ROSES—Continued

### Birdie Blye

This Rose is the only one of its class that can be called absolutely ever-blooming—it is in flower continually from early spring until the snow is on the ground. Bright, carmine fragrant flowers, and of good form, large size produced in clusters. Heavy, disease resistant foliage. It grows to a height of about ten feet, of vigorous growth it is a true climber. This Rose is exceptionally satisfactory. It produces a wealth of bloom and needs no attention once it becomes established on its own roots.

**Source D'Or.** A golden yellow with large double flowers. Strong rank grower. Absolutely hardy.

**Minnehaha.** A charming double satiny pink-flowering Rambler of a most pleasing color. Flowers are borne in clusters; foliage glossy green.

**Lady Godiva.** Color pure white. Dark green foliage.

**Goldfinch.** It is of the Rambler type and bears a wondrous profusion of lemon-yellow, semi-double flowers in large trusses. The buds are beautiful deep yellow.

**Aunt Harriet.** Dazzling scarlet-crimson. The bright effect is intensified by the pure white centers and brilliant golden anthers which shine out when the flowers are fully open.

**American Pillar.** Of extremely vigorous habit of growth, the bushes being clothed in lively green from earliest spring until late in the fall. The flowers are produced in profusion, fairly covering the bush, color bright pink. In the fall, the red berries, which are highly-ornamental.

**Silver Moon.** Blooms large, four or more inches in diameter, pure white in color and of good substance, forming a clematis-like flower. The large bunch of yellow stamens in the center makes it very attractive.

**Dorothy Perkins.** Flowers are borne in large clusters, are very double, with prettily crinkled petals; remarkably pretty pointed buds, beautiful clear shell-pink in color, lasting a long time without fading.

**Philadelphia Crimson Rambler.** Intense crimson. Earlier than the Crimson Rambler and entirely free from mildew. Flowers perfectly double and of excellent substance.

**Crimson Rambler.** Crimson flowers in large clusters. It presents a vivid crimson mass of beauty when in full bloom, during June and July.

**Pink Rambler.** Large trusses of brilliant carmine flowers. Very popular.

**Bess Lovett.** Resembles Climbing American Beauty in shape of bloom, but is very much brighter in color and much more fragrant. The flowers are clear bright red, of good size, and of double, full, cupped form, lasting a long time in good condition.

**Mary Wallace.** Hardy Climber or pillar rose making a fine, strong self-supporting plant 6 to 8 feet high, with large glossy foliage, blooming with great freedom in spring and bearing a considerable number of fine buds in summer and fall. Flowers very large, usually exceeding 4 inches across; well formed semi-double, of a bright clear rose-pink with salmon base to the petals.



Everblooming Climbing Rose, "Birdie Blye"

### Excelsa (Red Dorothy Perkins)

Crimson-maroon with tips of the petals scarlet. Flowers full and double and thirty or forty produced on a stem. The undesirable features of the Crimson Rambler, the unsightly foliage, is eliminated in this Rose by the infusion of Wichuraiana blood.

**Yellow Rambler (Aglaia).** Flowers are deep golden yellow and very fragrant.

**White Rambler (Thalia).** Flowers pure white, sometimes tinted with blush.

**Flower of Fairfield.** A rampant climber, it bears enormous clusters of brilliant crimson flowers. Blooms the second and third time each season.

**Veilchen Blau or Violet Blue.** The Blue Rose is one of the most rampant growers we have ever seen, covering a large porch in a single season. The flowers are borne in loose clusters and are a delightful shade of blue—something entirely different from any Rose now in cultivation.

**Rosarie (Pink Tausendschon).** This is a bright pink form of Thousand Beauties. A good climber and a very satisfactory climber in every respect.

**Jacotte.** Color deep coppery yellow, tinted coppery red, borne several together on long stems. Very fragrant.

Prices of all Roses on this page, first size plants, 25 cts. each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 75 cts. each, by express; \$7.50 per dozen, 6 at doz. rate or 85 cts. each by parcel post prepaid with soil on roots.





## Dingee Hardy Everblooming

### Climbing Hybrid Tea Roses

These climbing roses are noted for the exquisite beauty of their flowers, equalling the Hybrid Teas. They are strong growing, vigorous, and bloom freely all summer. They are not as hardy as the climbers described in a former part of this book, yet they survive the coldest winters in the district of Philadelphia without the slightest attention and with protection can withstand very severe weather. In the warmer sections of the country, they fairly run riot in their glory of bloom, and present the most wonderful display of beauty imaginable.

Nowhere can you find a more complete list of these roses than in the following pages. For years we have maintained an exceptionally large stock. And all these plants are on their own roots, which of course, means permanency.

### Climbing Gruss an Teplitz

(Climbing Virginia R. Cox)

This is the hardiest of the everblooming Climbing Hybrid Teas. It blooms throughout the season, and is exceptionally satisfactory. Vigorous grower; heavy foliage, somewhat subject to mildew. Sometimes it happens that this fine climbing Rose does not become established as quickly as other sorts, but given attention it will produce a profusion of blooms of that fine dark crimson of its parent plant, the bush variety of the same name.

**Climbing Sunburst.** Orange copper and golden yellow flowers of large size and perfectly formed handsome buds. Strong grower. Profuse bloomer. Price, first size plants, 50 cts. each, postpaid; two-year-old plants, \$1.25 each, by express collect. All own roots.

**Climbing Papa Gontier.** This new climber has all the superior merits of its parent and bearing in the greatest profusion all the summer the same handsome, deep crimson flowers. Perfectly hardy.

**Climbing Mad. Caroline Testout.** Same as the bush variety, except a vigorous climber. Hardy. Color a satiny rose, deepening toward the center.

**Climbing Lady Ashtown.** Strong, rapid grower, producing large, delicate pink flowers in abundance.

**Climbing Lady Hillingdon.** A true Lady Hillingdon Rose of the climbing habit. The blooms are identical with the bush variety of this same name, but the plant is a strong, vigorous grower, producing its buds and blooms throughout the growing season with great profusion. As hardy as the bush rose of this name. Price, 50 cts. each for first size plants; two-year-old plants, \$1.50 each.

**Climbing Helen Gould.** The growth is sturdy, the foliage grand, the flowers warm, rosy crimson, sometimes beautifully striped, flamed and shaded in bright carmine, over pale rose.

**Climbing Gen. McArthur.** Crimson red blooms, very handsome and fragrant. Strong climber with excellent blooming qualities.

**Climbing Hoosier Beauty.** Blooms identical with the bush variety of this name but a good strong climber producing the gorgeous rich velvety crimson blooms on single stems.

Prices of all Roses on this page, except where noted, first size plants, 30 cts. each; 4 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 85 cts. each, by express; \$8.50 per dozen, 6 at doz. rate, or 95 cts. each by parcel post prepaid with soil on roots.



Climbing Gruss an Teplitz

### Climbing Columbia

Foliage deep glossy green immune from disease and insects. Hardy in any location. Blooms with the greatest freedom the entire season. Buds and blooms of immense size often measuring six inches in diameter, of perfect formation, borne singly on long shoots. Color clear imperial pink.

**Climbing Radiance.** The name is sufficient recommendation of this grand climbing Rose. Color and formation the same as the bush variety, being a solid rose pink and produced in great profusion.

**Climbing Red Radiance.** The same as the bush variety but of a good climbing habit. Color a clear red.

**Climbing Wooton.** This Rose introduced by us produces superbly formed flowers in wonderful profusion, of bright magenta-red passing to violet crimson.

The Dingee & Conard Co.  
West Grove, Penna.

July 10, 1927.

Gentlemen:—

My last order of 100 Roses arrived in splendid condition and are now doing fine.

I have taken great pride in the fact that I have been dealing with your firm for about 45 years, and have always had splendid success with your "own root" roses. The superiority of your plants and the fair and prompt dealing of your company certainly justified the high praise I always take pleasure in giving you.

Yours very truly, J. T. A. STROUP, Baltimore, Md.



CLIMBING HYBRID TEAS—Continued

## Mrs. Robert Peary

**The Great White, Climbing Rose.** A strong and rapid grower, introduced by us. It is hardy and will withstand severe winters unprotected. Small plants of Mrs. Robert Peary will bloom throughout the season and the flowers are magnificent beyond description. The buds are long and pointed, finely modeled and gracefully finished, while the fragrance is indeed delicious. The flowers, when open, are of splendid substance, extra large, deep and double, produced on long, stiff stems.

**Climbing Clotilde Soupert.** This Rose, another introduction of ours, produces cluster after cluster of the most finely formed flowers, large, round, perfectly double, with beautiful imbricated petals, the color of which is delightful. The color is ivory-white, shading toward the center to silvery rose. Hardiness varies.

**Climbing Pink Killarney.** It blooms continuously throughout the season, and the flowers are magnificent beyond description, immense, long, pointed buds with massive petals, opening into flowers of enormous size; color deep pink, bright and sparkling, an exquisite shade, deliciously fragrant.

**Climbing White Killarney.** An exact counterpart of the bush Rose White Killarney, but a vigorous climber. Produces blooms of purest white of same formation, and on single stems the same as the bush Rose.

**Climbing My Maryland.** This is the climbing type of the well-known Hybrid Tea Rose, "My Maryland," and has all the desirable features of its parent, with a remarkable climbing tendency, growing 10 to 15 feet in a single season. Color bright salmon-pink with paler edges, beautifully dark veined; delightfully fragrant, and the finest blooms. Price, large two-year-old own-root plants, \$1.50 each, by express.

**Climbing Ophelia.** Same as the bush variety, but a rank climber. Blooming with the greatest freedom during the growing season. Hardy everywhere. Price, first size own-root plants, 50 cts. each, postpaid; two-year-old plants, \$1.50 each, by express.

Prices of the above Roses, except where otherwise noted, strong one-year plants, 30 cts. each; 4 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 85 cts. each; \$8.50 per dozen, by express; by parcel post prepaid with soil on roots, 95 cts. each.

## Wichuraiana Roses

All are new Wichuraiana Hybrids of American origin, hardy in all sections, and are literally Tea Roses with climbing or trailing habit and undeniable hardiness. All bloom in clusters. Price, 20 cts. each; any 3 for 50 cts., postpaid; two-year-old plants, 65 cts. each, by express; \$6.50 per dozen.

**Debutante**—Beautiful soft pink flowers.

**Farquhar**—Clusters of bright pink; double.

**Gardenia**—Very fragrant; creamy yellow.

**Improved Universal Favorite**—Brilliant pink.

**Jersey Beauty**—Pale yellow, bright stamens.

**Wichuraiana**—Single; pure white; fragrant.

**Wm. C. Egan**—Beautiful shade of rose.

**Sweetheart**—Pink, turning to bluish-white.

## Stim-U-Plant Tablets

An excellent, odorless, highly concentrated plant food, tablet form all kinds of pot plants during the winter. Will increase growth and heighten color. These can be used in tablet form or dissolved in water. Complete directions with every package. Price, 10 tablets for 15 cts.; 30 for 25 cts.; 100 for 75 cts.; 1000 for \$3.50, postpaid.

Climbing White Killarney



## NO SUCCESS WITH BUDDED ROSES

The Dingee & Conard Co., West Grove, Penna.

Dear Sirs:—With the experience I have had and no success with grafted and budded Rose bushes, I have fully made up my mind in the future to plant Own Root Roses. Respectfully yours,

J. W. Socie, Clearfield, Pa., June 18, 1928.

The Dingee & Conard Co., West Grove, Penna.

Dear Sirs:—I am sending you the names of three friends. Hope they will give you an order soon. I need no introduction to you and the merit of the firm as my mother ordered flowers from you when I was a child. They are true to name and color.

Wishing you every success. Yours truly,  
Mrs. Jack Avens, Wyatte, Miss., Mar. 8, 1928.

Dingee & Conard Co., West Grove, Penna.

Gentlemen:—I would thank you for copies of your two books about rose growing. I would like to add that when my family moved to California in 1875, it was from your house that we got the Roses for our yard, they grew into trees really, and many are still living. They have furnished many thousands of Roses for church and school decorations in their half century. Yours truly,

Alice E. Pratt, St. Helena, Cal., Mar. 16, 1928.



## Polyantha Roses

These, sometimes called Fairie Roses, are the most truly everblooming of all roses—they are practically never out of flower during the entire season. Dwarf in size, with an average height of less than 18 inches, compact growth, great hardiness, beautiful, well-formed blooms which last well on the bush, make this class indispensable for edging, massing, and mingling with other flowers. The class covers a wide range of forms, sizes and colors, so the individual taste may be satisfied. They are rapidly growing in popularity because beauty in miniature is always appreciated.

A conspicuous group is composed of the **Baby Ramblers**, so called because of the resemblance, in dwarf, to the ramblers, with blooms produced in large, many flowered clusters, and growth hardly 12 inches in height.

### Baby Doll or Tip Top

The flowers are miniature in size but magnificent in form and produced by the hundreds. Exquisite for cutting or bouquets and bedding purposes. Makes a magnificent show in the open ground, always blooming from early spring until late fall. The tips of the petals are vivid scarlet, then mellowing down through shades of pink into saffron, lavender and gold, finally into deep old gold, a combination extraordinary and pleasing. Foliage slender and produced in abundance, dark lustre green.

**Ideal.** The darkest of all the Polyanthas, an intense lustrous garnet. Flowers are not large but are produced in very large trusses and are very effective. Compact habit of growth. Blooms abundantly all season.

**Chatillon.** Type, Orleans Rose. Bud small, long, pointed; flowers medium size, semi-double, cupped, very lasting bright pink; slight fragrance. Foliage disease resistant. Very vigorous, bushy, one to two feet high, profuse and continuous bloomer. Hardy. Silver Gift Medal, 1923, award of Merit, French Horticultural Society.

**Mlle. Cecile Bruner.** Rosy pink on rich creamy white ground; a great bloomer; very satisfactory for bedding.

**Marie Pavie.** Medium size, very full and double; borne in large clusters; white flushed with carmine.

**Perle D'Or.** Coppery gold, changing to fawn and salmon; flatrayed form, very double; elegantly perfumed.

**Mignon.** Very similar to Mlle. Cecile Bruner, but of lighter shade of pink, buds equally as handsome as the Cecile Bruner.

## Baby Rambler Roses

**La Ponceau.** Dark red large clusters.

**Jessie.** The color is clear and brilliant ruby-red; foliage dark and glossy.

**Anny Muller.** Color a shiny and brilliant pink, produced in the greatest profusion in large clusters.

**Double White Baby Rambler.** Great masses of double, pure white flowers, covering the plant as with a mantle.

**Baby Tausendschon.** Flowers firm, white, delicately flushed pink, changing to deep rosy-carmine.

**Geo. Elger.** It produces great quantities of lovely little buds of golden-yellow, opening into miniature symmetrical Roses. Bush is so loaded with blooms they resemble a huge bouquet.

**Mrs. Wm. Cutbush.** Flowers of pale pink, borne in huge trusses throughout the entire summer.

**Orleans.** Brilliant geranium red flowers, suffused rose, with a rosy-white center.

**Edith Cavell.** Bright crimson, white eye.

**Gruss an Auchen.** Yellowish rose colored with salmon pink and red shadings. Blooms larger than the average polyantha.

**Ellen Poulson.** Dark brilliant pink.

**Clotilde Soupert.** Known the world over as one of the very best of all bedding Roses. A strong, dwarf grower and a truly wonderful bloomer, producing clusters after clusters of the finest formed flowers. Full and double, and deliciously sweet. Color effect is beautiful, ivory-white, shading toward the center to silvery-rose.

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Price of all Baby Rambler and Polyantha Roses offered on this page, except where noted, 25 cts. each for strong pot plants; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 75 cts. each; \$7.50 per dozen, by express, 6 at doz. rate or 80 cts. each by parcel post, prepaid, with soil on roots.



The Exquisite Baby Doll

A Bed of Crimson Baby Ramblers



Alexander Hill Gray

## Alexander Hill Gray

After a thorough trial both indoors under glass and in the open ground, we are pleased to offer this lovely yellow Rose to our customers as one of the very best of its class and color. Deep lemon-yellow, deepening as the flower expands, does not fade in the open ground. Buds and blooms of perfect formation and of great substance, and produced in the greatest abundance throughout the entire season. Splendid foliage. Seldom diseased. Strong grower and hardy everywhere. This Rose was awarded Gold Medal by the National Rose Society.

**Ivory.** A sport of Golden Gate. Color pure white without a particle of any other color. Good grower.

**Burbank.** A revival of Champion of the World, bearing a great profusion of large crimson flowers; very fragrant, and produced in marvelous profusion the entire season. Strong, upright grower. Extremely hardy.

**Bon Silene.** A grand Old Rose. The color is deep rose, changing to pale light rose. This variety cannot be surpassed for bouquets and decorative purposes. In the open ground it grows to perfection, producing large crops of beautiful flowers from early spring until late autumn. One of the favorites of the old-time gardens.

**The Bride.** There is no other white Rose more satisfactory than the Bride. The buds and flowers are unusually large, well formed and deliciously perfumed. It is of a strong and healthy growth, and a profuse bloomer.

**Bridesmaid.** This variety is valuable for cutting and does finely in the open ground; a sport from the old and popular pink Tea Catherine Mermet, but of a fine, clear, dark pink, much deeper and more constant in color than Mermet.

## Dingee Everblooming Tea Roses

This class of Roses is famous for its lovely blooms of delicate beauty—soft, refined colors; subdued, yet powerful fragrance. Constantly in flower, it has a place in all gardens. The Tea Rose, introduced into Europe from China in the early part of the nineteenth century, is the parent of all our everblooming Roses, and as the foundation of all the great Roses of today, has a warm spot in the hearts of all rose-lovers. And never has the marvelous beauty of the Teas been surpassed.

In the days before the popularity of the Hybrid Teas, the Teas were sold in enormous quantities. To meet a certain demand for low priced plants, vast numbers of "cheap" Roses were produced, which, due to their poor quality, discredited the business. This firm has always opposed such a policy. We have always aimed to produce better Roses, regardless of the cost. We are proud of a business reputation, gained through years of service, which must be maintained. You can be sure that the Tea Roses bought from us will be of the highest quality.

Our list of Teas is the most complete in America. We have ever strived to maintain a stock of all the best varieties produced. In addition we have been responsible for the introduction of many of these varieties.

It must be pointed out that the Tea Roses are not as hardy, nor as vigorous growers, as the Hybrid Perpetuals, or the Hybrid Teas. In the northern climates of extreme cold even the hardier kinds, such as Charles Dingee, must be given some protection in winter. As most of the varieties are of but moderate growth, they require rather close pruning. It is better to have a richer soil than that used for Hybrid Teas.

## Lady Hillingdon

Apricot yellow shaded to orange on the outer edge of the petals, becoming deeper and more intense toward the center of the bloom. The color does not fade after the bloom is cut, but invariably becomes darker. Buds are produced on long, strong, wiry stems, well above the foliage, producing a slender and graceful effect. A strong, hardy, healthful grower.

**Catherine Mermet.** One of the best varieties of Tea Roses. A very free bloomer, producing clear, shining pink flowers, the center being shaded fawn and amber. It is a good Rose for open ground culture and forcing under glass.

**Freiherr Von Marschall.** It has wonderfully beautiful foliage and produces large, full beautifully shaped flowers, which are borne in profusion all through the season. The color is bright red, one of the best red Tea Roses that is known.

**Isabella Sprunt.** This golden yellow Rose has been known as a favorite for over twenty years. It is a free bloomer, producing flowers of bright canary-yellow, very sweetly scented. The buds are very desirable for cut flowers.

Price, 25 cts. each for all Roses, first size plants, on this page; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 75 cts. each, by express; \$7.50 per dozen of one or more varieties, 6 at doz. rate or 85 cts. each by parcel post, prepaid with soil on roots.





## Wm. R. Smith

**Especially suited for outdoor planting and cutting purposes.** The soft blending of the salmon-pinks, rose-pinks, and the magnificent flesh tints resemble the blush of a maiden's cheek. The flowers are large, full and double, and most exquisitely formed. The petals are so firm they look like wax. Perfect buds.

**Perle des Jardins.** The color is a clear golden-yellow, of a beautiful shade; the flowers are large, full, of globular form, with great depth and substance, richly perfumed.

**Cornelia Cook.** The flowers are borne in great profusion and are very desirable. The color is pure creamy white, tinged with lemon and blush.

**Madame Welche.** Color, amber-yellow, deepening toward the center to orange or coppery yellow, delicately clouded with pale crimson.

**Golden Gate.** Color, rich creamy white, shaded with golden yellow and clear rose.

**Maiden's Blush.** Produces a fine, healthy bush, with fine, large, bright green foliage, edged with red—almost disease and insect proof. Color a soft blending of salmon-pink, rose-pink, and flesh tints.

**Safrano.** The color is a bright apricot-yellow, passing to orange and fawn, sometimes tinted rose.

**The Queen.** Of vigorous and healthy growth, sweetly scented. A constant bloomer, producing profuse crops of buds and flowers; the buds are well-shaped, with large petals of best substance. Color is pure snowy white.

**Mad. Francisca Kruger.** The flowers large, deeply shaded coppery yellow in color.

**White Bougere.** The pure ivory-white flowers are unusually large, deep full and double, borne on long, stiff stems.

**Marie Guillot.** The color is pure white, sometimes faintly tinged pale yellow. The flowers are beautifully made, very large, full double; the buds are very pretty, of sweet fragrance.

**Madame Lambard.** Color a magnificent shade of rosy-bronze, changing to salmon and fawn, tinted with carmine.

**Devoniensis (The Charming Magnolia Rose).** Produces an abundance of large, very full and double flowers all through the season. The color is creamy white, with rosy centers and very fragrant.

**Duchess de Brabant.** The color is a fine shade of soft, rosy pink, which deepens to bright rose.

**Etoile de Lyon.** It is of vigorous, sturdy growth, and seems able to resist heat and cold equally well. It blooms freely, produces beautifully formed flowers of a rich golden-yellow.

**Enfant de Lyon (The Sweet Anise Rose).** In color the flowers are a beautiful creamy rose, delicately shaded coppery yellow.

**Madison.** A splendid pure white Rose.

**Lady Roberts.** A fine golden-yellow Rose.

**Couquette de Lyon.** The flowers are extra large, deep and double; color pure canary-yellow. Unlike many yellow Roses, it is a strong, vigorous grower.



Wm. R. Smith

## Souv. de Pierre Notting

Strong, bushy habit, and has won numerous gold medals and awards of merit. The flowers are very large, well filled and open easily; color apricot-yellow, tinged with golden and mixed with orange-yellow, edge of petal shaded carmine-rose. In form and beauty it is the equal of Maman Cochet, and by many is regarded as the best all-around Rose for general cultivation.

**Marie Van Houtte.** The color of the flowers, which are large, full and double, is pale canary-yellow, passing to rich, creamy-white, shaded with pale rose.

**Lady Plymouth.** A Rose similar to Souv. de Pierre Notting, which means a handsome bud and full, double bloom of large size. Color is delicate pearly but deep ivory cream, faintly flushed.

**Marie Lambert, or Snowflake.** Large, double, creamy-white flowers are produced in marvelous profusion.

**Mrs. B. R. Cant.** Strong growing variety, producing heavy stems, with large, healthy foliage and flowers almost the equal and style of Helen Gould, but more double; deep rose, with silvery rose center.

**Papa Gontier.** A strong, vigorous grower and constant bloomer; one of the best and most valuable, both for open ground and greenhouse; color rich cherry-red, passing to clear, glowing crimson.

**Princess Bonnie.** The brightest, sweetest and freest-blooming Rose in existence. Color solid crimson, deeper and more vivid than "Gen. Jack." Fragrance is sweeter than La France.

**Blumenschmidt.** A splendid bedding Rose of the Cochet type, glowing all summer with wealth of citron-yellow flowers, each petal of which is edged with dainty rose. The individual flowers are large and well formed, resembling in many ways some of the hand-somest Tea Roses.

**Mrs. Campbell Hall.** Delicate creamy-buff, edged or suffused rosy-carmine. The center of the bloom is warm cerise coral fawn. Deliciously fragrant. Awarded gold medal, National Rose Society.

Price, 25 cts. each for all Roses on this page, first size plants, except where noted; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 75 cts. each; \$7.50 per dozen, 6 at doz. rate, by express, of one or more varieties, or 85 cts. each by parcel post, prepaid with soil on roots.



Since the introduction of these lovely autumn-flowering plants into Europe, some two hundred years ago, they have been developed to a wonderful extent. Those who have in mind the small, old garden varieties cannot imagine the exquisite beauty of the newer sorts. They produce enormous massive flowers of most beautiful colors and perfect shape. Their culture is the easiest. See "How to Grow Them" on circular enclosed, and if further information is desired, it will be furnished upon application. Our collection contains the best and most beautiful of the newer varieties, as well as the choicest of the standard sorts. We offer them at prices within the reach of all, as we would like to see them growing in every garden and in every home.

## Pompom Chrysanthemums

These are entirely hardy and produce hundreds of button-like perfectly double and single flowers, making an excellent show. Last until late in the autumn. We offer the choicest varieties only. **Price, strong plants, 15 cts. each; 6 for 75 cts.; \$1.50 per dozen, postpaid.**

**Lillian Doty.** Shell pink.  
**Mrs. Wm. Buckingham.** Single. Rosy pink.  
**Edina.** Beautiful rose pink.  
**Christmas Gold.** Very bright yellow. Flowers about one inch in diameter.  
**Leilah.** Rose pink.  
**Red Doty.** Bright red.

**Fairy Queen.** Rose pink.  
**Baby.** Small. Yellow.  
**Iva.** Amber. Medium size.  
**Klondyke.** Brilliant yellow. Compact blooms.  
**Miramar.** Bronze. Fine form.  
**Godfrey.** Late; light pink.  
**Diana.** Late; pure white.

**SPECIAL OFFER**—One of each of the 13 Pompoms for \$1.60, postpaid.

## Magnificent Dingee Chrysanthemums

**Price, strong, healthy pot plants, 15 cts. each; 6 for 75 cts.; \$1.50 per dozen, postpaid.**

**Sunbeam.** One of the best yellow. Fine, incurved form, with perfect stem.  
**Harvard.** Late. Dark velvety crimson.  
**Dr. Enguehard.** Beautiful true pink. Ball shape.  
**Chas. Rager.** Early. A pure white variety of special merit.  
**Major Bonaffon.** Golden-yellow. Ball shaped. Petals overlapping.  
**Sun Glow.** Bright yellow. Fine large flowers.  
**Pacific Supreme.** Pink; large handsome.  
**Robert Halliday.** Yellow; large size.  
**Betsy Ross.** Midseason. Incurved pure white.  
**Unaka.** Early. Large pink.  
**White Chieftain.** Midseason. Sturdy grower, pure white.  
**Oconto.** Early midseason white. Large handsome blooms.  
**Golden Glory.** Bright golden yellow. Early. Immense perfect flowers.  
**White Chadwick.** Late bluish white. Incurve.  
**Harvest Home.** Deep bronzy yellow. Excellent.  
**Yellow Chadwick.** Handsome golden yellow. Incurve.  
**Pink Chieftain.** Mid season. Pleasing pink.  
**Cranfordia.** Very early. Deep bronzy yellow.  
**White Patty.** Late white.  
**Tints of Gold.** Very attractive golden bronze.

**SPECIAL OFFER**—One each of the 20 varieties offered above sent postpaid for \$2.50, each one labeled.



Hardy Pompom Chrysanthemum





Dingee Geranium

## Dingee Geraniums

Strong plants from 3-inch pots, single or double varieties, 20 cts. each; 6 for \$1.00, prepaid.

### Selected Double Varieties

- Alphonse Ricard.** Semi-double; orange-red.  
**Mrs. Lawrence.** An excellent bloomer. Soft salmon pink, tinged white.  
**Cousin Janie.** Clear, rich pink, slightly spotted light red.  
**Jules Vasseur.** Bright scarlet, white center.  
**Jean Viaud.** Soft pink, white blotches.  
**Berthe de Priscilla.** Dwarf habit. Fine bedder. Bright silver rose-pink.  
**John Doyle.** Rich scarlet. Very effective.  
**Mme. Buchner.** Snow-white; vigorous.  
**Recamier.** Pure white. Strong grower. One of the best whites.  
**S. A. Nutt.** Rich, dark crimson. Superb.  
**Jean Oberle.** Peach pink, shaded white edge.  
**La Cid.** Charming shade of cardinal-red.  
**Anais Segalas.** Bright salmon. Zoned foliage.  
**Beaute Poitevine.** Bright salmon-pink.  
**Dr. Despres.** Changeable violet, marked vermilion.  
**Le Pilote.** Glowing crimson-scarlet.

### Selected Single Varieties

- La Favorite.** Snowy-white, superb.  
**Mrs. E. G. Hill.** Free bloomer. Light salmon.  
**Eugene Sue.** Brilliant shade of russet orange.  
**L'Aube.** One of the best pure whites.  
**Feuer.** Brilliant crimson-red. Dwarf growth.  
**Gruben Grubisch.** Bright rose. Clear white center.  
**Clifton.** Solid color of bright red.

## Ivy-Leaved Geraniums

Price, strong plants, 20 cts. each; 6 for \$1.00.

- Dina Scalarandis.** Double white, tinged lilac.  
**Rycroft's Surprise.** Beautiful shade of rich pink.  
**Mrs. Banks.** Blush-white, upper petals feathered deep pink; semi-double.  
**Alliance.** Delicate lilac-white, upper petals feathered and blotched crimson-rose.  
**Pierre Crozy.** Bright scarlet; dwarf, compact habit.

## Fancy and Sweet-scented Geraniums

String plants, 20 cts. each; 6 for \$1.00.

- Madame Sallerai.** Green, dotted white.  
**Rose-Scented.** Delightful scent.  
**Lemon-Scented.** Deliciously scented.

## Dingee Decorative Ferns

Use a soil composed of five parts; two parts of good garden soil, two parts of finely screened peat or leaf mold from the woods, and one part sharp, clean sand. This should then be thoroughly sterilized by putting in an oven and baking in order to destroy earth worms, etc. Place some broken pieces of pots or crocks and some charcoal in the bottom of each pot for drainage. A temperature of not less than 55 degrees F. should be maintained at all times, with a rise in the daytime of 10 degrees to 15 degrees. Judgment should be exercised in watering. On warm days they should be syringed at least twice. Never allow them to become too dry. Insects which are most troublesome are thrips, red spider, scale and mealy bug. Thrips, red spider and mealy bug are easily prevented by a properly moistened atmosphere, also by spraying of foliage once a week with tobacco water, made in the consistency of weak tea, and increased or diminished in strength as occasion demands.

Price of all Ferns in extra strong pot plants, 20 cts. each; 6 for \$1.00; large plants from 4- and 5-inch pots, \$1.00 each, postpaid.

**Teddy, Jr.** New dwarf Fern. Fronds are broad and beautifully tapered from the base to the tip, drooping just enough to make a graceful plant. Produces nearly four times as many fronds as any other Fern introduced. Compact, thrives under any condition.

**Roosevelt.** Resembles the Boston Fern, but produces many more fronds, thus making a handsomer and bushier plant; in fact, it today is more popular with the florists than the Boston; it will make a larger plant in a shorter time. The fronds are beautifully undulated, giving it a very pretty rising effect.

**Jacksonii.** Extremely strong grower. Resembling Sword Fern, quickly forming large, upright plant.

**Whitmanii Compacta.** This is a condensed form of the "Ostrich Plume Fern," with valuable characteristics added which are not evident in the parent, the pinnae subdividing, making miniature fronds, looking as if two or more were condensed in one.

**The Boston Fern.** This fern differs from the ordinary Sword Fern in having much longer fronds, which frequently attain a length of six feet, drooping gracefully over the side of the pot or jardiniere, and on this account it is frequently called the Fountain Fern. This drooping habit adapts this variety for growing as a single specimen for a table or pedestal. Equally good for outdoors during the summer as well as a decorative plant for indoors during winter.

**Dwarf Boston.** Same as Boston variety but a dwarf compact plant.

**Whitmanii (Ostrich Plume Fern).** More of a dwarf habit than the Boston Fern. The fronds are of entirely different nature. Each frond is subdivided on the order of the Compacta Fern, thus producing a very beautiful effect. Very decorative.

**Maidenhair Fern (Adiantum cuneatum).** The best known table Fern, with dainty, lacy fronds, unlike any other.

**Verona.** The fronds are very fine and fluffy. Known as Lace or Baby Breath Fern. Dwarf or compact growth.

## Dingee Palms

**Areca Lutescens.** Trunk and stem, golden green. Strong plants, 6 to 8 inches high, 25 cts. each; 3 for 60 cts., postpaid.

**Cocos Weddelliana.** The daintiest of all Palms. Strong plants, 3-inch pots, 50 cts.

**Kentias.** The grandest of all Palms. *Kentia Belmoreana* is the tallest grower, while *Kentia Forsteriana* has the broadest leaves. Strong plants, 25 cts. each, postpaid; larger plants, 50 cts.

**Latania Borbonica.** Divided, fan-shaped leaves. Strong plants, 25 cts. each, postpaid; larger plants, 50 cts.

**Dracaena Indivisa.** Long, variegated leaves. Price, 15 cts. each; 9 for \$1.00.

**Phoenix Canariensis.** Date Palm. Price, 30 cts. each.

Dingee Handsome House Fern



Fern Whitmanii



## Dingee Magnificent Carnations

We offer strong plants, and whether planted in the open ground or in pots, they quickly make large specimens, blooming profusely during the summer. For winter blooming pinch the plants back from time to time during the summer. Bring indoors in early fall. Grown in pots they will bloom abundantly during the winter.

### New Varieties

**Alma Ward.** New white variegated; large and fragrant.  
**Aviator.** The best standard crimson on the market.  
**Mrs. C. W. Ward.** Deep pink.  
**Miss Theo.** Deeper pink than Enchantress.  
**Matchless.** Clear, brilliant white; fine form and very large. Highly scented. Delightful.  
**White Wonder.** A truly wonderful white flower of immense size.

### Standard Varieties

**Apple Blossom.** Handsome white flower daintily marked pink.  
**Beacon.** Dazzling scarlet; very large and full.  
**Boston Market.** Standard white.  
**Enchantress.** Brilliant pink; fine shade; large size.  
**Victory.** Brilliant red, extra large flowers and particularly free in bloom.  
**White Enchantress.** Magnificent large white flower of splendid form.  
**Price, strong pot plants, 15 cts. each; any 6 for 75 cts.; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.**

## Pot Hydrangeas

Excellent for pot culture for blooming indoors during the winter. The foliage keeps dark green throughout the winter, making them an ideal decorative plant. They can also be planted outdoors, as they are hardy and live out over winter.

**Otaksa.** Rich pink, changing to snow-white and blue.  
**Avalanche.** Large corymbs of pure white flowers.  
**General de Vibraye.** Very large heads of bright rose.  
**Price, 25 cts. each; five for \$1.00, postpaid; large specimen plants from 4 to 6 inch pots, \$1.00 each, by express.**

## Free-Blooming Fuchsias

**Strong plants, sure to bloom, 20 cts. each; 3 for 50 cts., postpaid.**

**Speciosa.** Scarlet and white.  
**Trophy.** Purple; extra long.  
**Black Prince.** Single. Purple, striped red, red tubes and sepals.  
**Beranger.** Violet purple.  
**Elm City.** Calyx cochineal red, single corolla of deepest red.  
**Minnesota.** Tube and petals light pink, corolla violet purple.  
**Alphand.** Large double lilac mauve corolla.

## Miscellaneous Plants

**Asparagus Sprengeri.** For pots, vases or hanging baskets. The long, slender branches droop most gracefully, clothed with feathery, emerald - green fronds. **Strong plants 15 cts. each; 4 for 50 cts.**

**Asparagus Plumosus.** Foliage surpasses a Maidenhair fern; in grace and finish resembles the finest lace. Elegant for cutting; one of the best plants in our collection. **20 cts. each; 3 for 50 cts.**

**New Weeping Lantana.** Beautiful for baskets, vases, pots or for outdoor culture and porch boxes. Produces its clear lilac-pink flowers by the hundreds from early summer until severe frosts. Deliciously fragrant. Has a most graceful habit of growth. **15 cts. each; 4 for 50 cts.**

**Salvia (Scarlet Sage).** Unequalled for dazzling show of fiery scarlet flowers until killed with frost. The great bedding plant. **10 cts. each; \$1.00 per dozen; \$6.00 per 100, postpaid.**

**Vinca Variegata.** Beautiful trailing vine, bright green leaves bordered with creamy white. Fine for vases, hanging baskets and porch boxes. **15 cts. each; 10 for \$1.00, postpaid.**

**Coleus.** We offer a grand collection of Coleus in the best named and mixed varieties, solid colors, striped, variegated and mottled. When ordering, state your preference as to color, and we will select accordingly. **Price, 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per dozen; \$7.50 per 100.**

**Caladium—Esculentum (Elephants Ear).** A magnificent foliage plant, with immense leaves, often measuring 4 feet in length by 2 feet in breadth. **Fine bulbs, 20 cts. each. Larger size, 30 cts. each.**

## Dingee Splendid Calla Lilies

**Lily of the Nile.** Grand white flowers. **Strong plants, 25 cts. each.**  
**New Yellow Calla.** A grand novelty. Large yellow flowers, very fragrant **40 cts. each.**

**Everblooming Calla.** Godfrey (Dwarf). In bloom all the time. **Fine, 25 cts. each, postpaid.**

## Hibiscus Sinensis

A beautiful class of plants with handsome, glossy foliage and brilliant showy colors. **All varieties, 20 cts. each; 6 for \$1.00.**

**Versicolor.** Striped crimson, buff, rose.

**Cooperi Tricolor.** Foliage variegated, crimson flowers.

**Miniatus Semi-plenus.** Semi-double; scarlet.

**Peachblow.** Flowers pink and crimson.

## Dingee Excelsior Tuberoses

**Dwarf Excelsior Pearl.** Flowers pure white, very double, of immense size and sweetly scented. **5 cts. each; 50 cts. per dozen, postpaid.**

**Orange Flowered.** Bears single snow-white flowers, resembling orange blooms, and delightfully fragrant. **5 cts. each; 50 cts. per dozen, postpaid.**

**Albino.** Early bloomer, dwarf branching habit; flowers waxy white and single; very fragrant. **5 cts. each; 50 cts. per dozen.**



Dingee Calla Lily





## Dingee Dahlias

The splendid qualities and gorgeous beauty of the present-day Dahlia have won for it a place at the head of the most important garden plants. None are easier to grow, respond more readily to care and attention, or flower more freely. Few cultivated plants have a wider range of color. The brilliant shades and the free, fluffy Chrysanthemum-like form of its flowers make an enchanting spectacle which never fails to attract attention. Plant soon as ground is warm in a moderately rich soil, covering the tubers six inches deep. Thin to one or two shoots. Cultivate well until it begins to bloom; after that stir only the surface soil just enough to prevent a crust forming.

### New and Rare Dahlias

**Champagne (Dec.).** An immense flower. The color is a delightful warm autumn shade. Very free bloomer, and has long rigid stems. \$1.50.

**Dr. Tevis (Dec.).** Beautiful shade of salmon-rose, suffused with old gold. 50 cts.

**Earl Williams (Dec.).** The brilliant crimson and white of this flower are well distributed. It has both blooming quality and size. \$1.50.

**Eleanor Grant (Dec.).** Large flowers borne on extra long stems, the outer petals of light cameo pink, while the center is sea foam green. A fine Dahlia. \$1.00.

**Ellinor Vanderveer (Dec.).** One of the most admired Dahlias in our garden. Color lavender pink; flowers large size, on long stiff stems; good bloomer and keeps well when cut. \$2.00.

**Mrs. Edith Hayward (Dec.).** The color is a clear lemon-yellow, it will produce flowers from 6 to 8 inches in diameter and has a wonderful stem and will keep longer after being cut than any other Dahlia. \$3.00.

**Snowdrift (Dec.).** A giant, clear white. The flower has good depth with broad waxy petals of the true Decorative type. \$1.00.

One each of the above 7 Dahlias for \$10.00.

### Show Dahlias

**A. D. Livoni.** Beautiful soft pink. Well formed flowers with long stems. Free-flowering. 25 cts.

**American Beauty.** The flowers gigantic, produced on long, heavy stems, well above the foliage. The color of this acquisition is a gorgeous wine-crimson. 25 cts.

**August Megar.** The largest and finest lavender-purple Show Dahlia. Tall and sturdy. 25 cts.

**David Warfield.** Beautiful deep cherry-red. Producing its mammoth flowers upon stiff, wiry stems, well above the foliage. 50 cts.

**Imperial.** Deep purplish-maroon. 25 cts.

**King Sol.** Large bright yellow. 25 cts.

**Miss Helen Hollis.** Deep scarlet. Blossoms are on long, stiff stems, well above the foliage. 50 cts.

**Stradella.** Rich deep purple crimson, very free-flowering, long stems, one of the first of my own introductions. 25 cts.

**Vivian.** Color white, effectively edged rose-violet. 25 cts.

**Storm King.** A pure white, flowers produced freely upon long stems, well above the foliage. 25 cts.

One each of above 10 Dahlias for \$2.75.

### Select Cactus Dahlias

**California Enchantress.** Flowers of very delicate blush; buds open a creamy-white, changing to a soft rosy tint as the flowers develop. Flowers produced on long stiff stems in abundance. 50 cts.

**Bride's Bouquet.** An ideal white cactus and profuse bloomer, extra long stem, and a Dahlia that stands up well when cut. 50 cts.

**Etendard de Lyon.** The color is a trifle darker than rhodamine-purple, described by some as carmine-rose. 50 cts.

**J. H. Jackson.** The finest black Cactus Dahlia in existence. Color a perfectly gorgeous, deep velvety, blackish-maroon. 25 cts.

**La Favorita.** A beautiful brilliant salmon, shading from dark to a pinker salmon at the twisted points, perfect center, good stems. 50 cts.

**Libelle.** Clear, deep rose-purple. 25 cts.

**Mrs. C. H. Breck.** A new Cactus Dahlia of exceptional merit. Color, creamy-yellow passing to various shades of rose-pink. 50 cts.

**Mrs. Leo Niessen.** A beautiful shade of scarlet red, blending to peach-red at center, with bright yellow at base of petals and at tips reflex, sulphur-yellow veined and suffused peach-red. 50 cts.

**Washington City.** A gigantic pure white, star-like flower. It has a long stem and holds its flower erect. 50 cts.

One each of the above 9 Dahlias for \$3.75.

### Mixed Dahlias

All colors and varieties. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per dozen, postpaid.



Dahlia Frank A. Walker. One-half Actual Size.

### Decorative Dahlias

**Bonnie Brae.** Cream, shaded blush-pink, large, one of the best. \$1.00.

**Frank A. Walker.** A charming shade of deep lavender-pink. For garden decoration or for cut flowers this variety is exceptionally good, having long stems and producing flowers in great abundance. 25 cts.

**George H. Carr.** The color is a peculiar shade of magenta shading lighter at tips. Free-flowering. \$1.00.

**Gloriana.** Immense flowers of pure gold color, slightly reddish towards center. Long leafless stems. 50 cts.

**H. Maier.** Shade a little darker than primrose-yellow, each petal is slightly flecked carmine. A very fine yellow Decorative. 50 cts.

**Le Grand Manitou.** The color of this superb variety is pure white artistically striped, splashed and blotched deep violet-purple. The plants occasionally bear a solid purple-colored flower. 50 cts.

**Mignon.** Large upright flowers of clear light violet, tinting to white at center; free blooming. 50 cts.

**Mrs. Carl Salbach.** A sensational Decorative Dahlia of great size. In color, a mauve-pink, with occasional blending of white; the general impression being pink. \$1.00.

**Mrs. I. de Ver Warner.** Deep mauve-pink. One of the very best Dahlias grown. Long stiff stems and excellent for cut flowers. \$1.00.

**Pride of California.** Called the "American Beauty" Dahlia. Winner of Gold and Silver Medals. Huge crimson red flowers produced on long straight stems. 50 cts.

**Rosa Nell.** The color is a clear bright rose, and the flowers are very large, and is one of the best shaped Decorative Dahlias grown. Good stems and habits. 50 cts.

**Wilhelm Miller.** Very brilliant purple. This is a fine variety. 25 cts.

One each of the above 12 Dahlias for \$7.00.

### Peony-Flowered Dahlias

**Ellen E. Kelley.** A long stemmed free-flowering golden-yellow variety. 25 cts.

**Latona.** An unusual blending of orange, buff and yellow. Flowers are nearly full to the center, and produced freely, upon good stems. 50 cts.

**Mrs. Bowen Tufts.** Deep rosy-purple blossoms, which are produced well above the foliage upon long, graceful stems. 25 cts.

**Mme. Van Bystein.** A very distinct and new shade, lilac-blue throughout, holding blooms well above the foliage. An early and abundant bloomer. 50 cts.

**Newport Dandy.** A lilac-pink of the most delicate shade. The yellow center is open with the inner petals curling and twisting over it. 25 cts.

One each of the above 5 Dahlias for \$1.50.



Karl Rosenfield

## Standard Varieties

Price, strong roots, 65 cts. each, \$6.50 per dozen.

Caroline Allen. Double. Rose and Salmon.  
Candidissima. Double. Creamy white.  
Canary. Double. White primrose center, late.  
Charlemagne. Lilac, white slight bluish center. Double.  
Duchesse de Nemours. Sulphur-white, changing to pure-white.  
Duke of Wellington. Sulphur-white. Double late.  
Edulis Superba. Double. Early. Beautiful brilliant pink.  
Faust. Delicate light pink; double, late.  
Felix Crousse. Brilliant red. Extra fine. Double midseason.  
Festiva Maxima. White center, flaked red. Double, early.  
Festiva Alba. Cream-white, red spots. Double, late.  
Francois Ortegat. Deep crimson. Double.  
Humei. Cherry pink. Highly cinnamon scented.  
Humei Carnea. Clear flesh tinged rose.  
Insignis. Carmine rose. Very fragrant.  
Jeanne D'Arc. Pure white. Early, double.  
L'Eclatante. Double. Crimson red.  
Louis Van Houtte. Velvety red. Double, late.  
Lady Bramwell. Pink and rose. Double, midseason.  
Louis Parmentier. Double. Bright red.  
Modeste Guerin. Deep rose. Double, midseason.  
Marechal Valliant. Double. Mauve pink.  
Nobilissima. Dark violet red.  
Rosea Elegans. Soft rose. Double.  
Rubens. Dark crimson. Double, midseason.  
Rubra Triumphante. Purplish crimson.  
Mixed Varieties. 50 cts. each; \$5.00 per dozen, postpaid.

## Old-Fashioned Peonies

Price, \$1.00 each; \$10.00 per doz., postpaid.

Rosea. Rose pink. Alba. Blush white. Rubra. Deep crimson.

## Dingee Hardy Peonies

Of all the flowers in the Hardy Garden the Peony is easily recognized as the Queen—in fact, it vies with the Rose for the title in many ways, for while in bloom it is without question the most glorious object in the garden. Once Peonies are planted they last for a life time. They stand the severest winters without the slightest protection. Especially fine for single specimens and cemetery planting. After blooming their charm lies in the beauty of the foliage, for even when not in bloom the Peony plant is decorative in the extreme and well worthy of a prominent place in the garden.

We offer only the cream of the many hundred varieties. Don't buy the cheap kinds. They require just as much care, but don't produce the blooms.

## New and Rare Peonies

President Taft. Rose type; mid-season. Strong grower, a profuse bloomer, every shoot being crowned by a big bloom. The color is a delicate Hydrangea-pink, completely enveloped in a halo of angelic white. Very fragrant. Price, \$1.50 each.

Sarah Bernhardt. Strong grower. Flowers remarkable size, full and double. Large petals that are twisted and imbricated. Color apple blossom pink with each petal silver tipped. Price, \$1.50.

Lord Kitchener. Color a brilliant scarlet. Great producer, making a grand display. Double early. Price, \$1.50 each.

La France. Very large, compact, globular, rose type. Color La France pink, as the flower ages soft apple blossom pink, reflecting mauve. The outer petals have a splash of crimson through the center, deepening at the base. Price \$10.00 each.

Livingstone. Rose type. Late. Very full, compact, pale lilac rose with silvery tips, center petals flecked carmine. Price, \$1.50 each.

Mad. Jules Dessert. Large flowers of beautiful form. Color pure white overlaid with a sheen of delicate blush with a pronounced pink center, inter-mixed with golden stamens. Price, \$10.00 each.

Primevere. Large, medium compact, flat bomb type. Guards creamy white splashed scarlet, center, light sulphur-yellow. Mid-season. Price, \$5.00 each.

Claire du Bois. Rose type, late midseason, large and double, silvery pink. Price, \$1.00 each.

Dr. H. Barnsby. Large, full, globular blooms. Soft Solferino red shaded crimson, with pronounced bluish reflex. Price, \$3.50 each.

Grover Cleveland. Very large, compact, rose type. Dark crimson. Strong vigorous grower. Late. Price, \$2.50 each.

Karl Rosenfield. Semi-rose type. Midseason. Tall compact grower, fine bloomer. Brilliant dark crimson. Price, \$2.50 each.

Suzette. Semi-rose type. Midseason. Handsome flowers of elegant shape and superb coloring. Bengal rose shaded carmine purple with silvery reflex. Price, \$1.50 each.

Alsace Lorraine. Semi-rose type. Late midseason. Petals pronouncedly pointed. In the center petals are arranged like a water lily. Color rich creamy white, center delicately tinted brownish yellow. Price, \$3.50 each.

Elie Chevalier. Large, globular, developing into a high built crown. Color Tyrian rose, center elegantly flecked with crimson. Price, \$2.50 each.

James Kelway. Early midseason. Rose white changing to a milk white, tinted yellow at base of petals. Price, \$3.00 each.

Therese. Midseason. Rose type. Color soft shell pink with lighter center. One of the best. Price, \$6.00 each.

Souv. de Louis Bigot. Late midseason. Salmon pink with silvery lights. Extra fine variety. Price, \$5.00 each.

Philippe Rivoire. Midseason. Color, bright velvety crimson which holds without fading. Delightful rose fragrance. Price, \$10.00.

Monsieur Jules Elie. Early midseason. Immense globular-type. Color an ideal glossy lilac-pink shading to deeper rose at the base, the entire flower overlaid with a silver sheen. Price, \$2.50 each.

Baroness Schroeder. Late Rose type. One of the finest all-round peonies. Baby pink fading to the purest white. Immense flowers with high chalice shaped center. Very fragrant. Price, \$1.50 each.

Tourangille. Late midseason. Vigorous grower bearing large flat shaped flowers. Color pearly white overlaid with delicate salmon and with shades of La France rose. Price, \$5.00 each.

## Japanese-Single Varieties

Claire. Extra large dark red with a thick cluster of yellow stamens in the center of the flower. Price, \$2.00 each.

Eva. A light but bright crimson with a thick cluster of yellow stamens. Price, \$2.00 each.

Jacqueline. Glittering pure white with yellow stamens in the center. Price, \$2.00 each.

Nympe. Flesh color pink with yellow stamens. Price, \$3.00 each.

L'Etincelante. Very large cup shaped flowers. Brilliant carmine with silvery margin. Price, \$2.00 each.

Mikado. Crimson with gold center. Price, \$2.00 each.

Clarisse. Opens light pink, changes to pure white. Two rows of petals, inner row somewhat shorter. Yellow stamens. Price, \$2.00.





## HARDY SHRUBS FOR PERMANENT PLANTING

They are absolutely hardy, and, once planted, last indefinitely, increasing in size and beauty year after year. For cold climate where hardy plants are needed they stand without an equal. Planted in clumps, masses or used for hedges, screens, or for filling unsightly corners, they make a glorious show. They supply that certain something which is lacking in every yard where shrubbery is not planted. We recommend a liberal planting of this class of plants. They last a lifetime and are sure to give splendid satisfaction. Their culture is exceedingly simple. When received cut the plants back about one-third their growth if not done before shipping. Set about three feet apart for a screen, but as individual specimens plant wherever desired. Water freely when planted, and for a few days afterward. No protection required. They may be planted as soon as ground is ready to dig up until late spring. This class of plants should be set out earlier than Roses and other pot plants, so if your order contains some of them we will send the different varieties at the proper season. Some varieties, such as Hydrangea, Snowball, Weigela, Deutzias, require pruning in early spring before new growth starts. Here with us it is done in late February or early March each season.

### Hydrangea Paniculata Grandiflora

We grow and sell annually many thousands of these most popular of all shrubs. They are extensively used for yard, lawn and hedge planting and for screens. Attains a height of 5 to 7 feet; hardy in all localities; blooms the first and every season in July and August, and continues in bloom for two or three months; the flowers are massive, cone-shaped, often measuring 10 inches in length, and have a pleasing variation of color, changing from original pure white to pink, and finally to beautiful, rich, coppery-red. Well-rooted, field grown plants that will bloom this year.

### Hibiscus Meehan's Marvel Mallow

They make a bush-like growth from 4 to 5 feet high and 2 to 3 feet across. The flowers are of enormous size, frequently 8 to 10 inches in diameter and ranging in color from fiery crimson through various shades of red, pink and white. Price, mixed colors—Pink, Red or White—strong two-year-old field-grown roots, 75 cts. each.

### Miscellaneous Shrubs

**Calycanthus Floridus** (*Carolina Allspice*). Flowers purple; quite double, exquisitely fragrant and borne in profusion during the entire season.

**Forsythia Viridissima** (*Golden Bell*). Height, 3 to 4 feet; bright yellow, bell-shaped flowers; blooms early.

**Philadelphus Grandiflora** (*Mock Orange*). Blooms early in June, flowers creamy white and very fragrant.

**Tamarix Africana** (*African Tamarisk*). Graceful, erect growing shrub, pretty pink flowers, leaves like evergreen.

**Honeysuckle Bush** (*Lonicera tatarica*). Grows 6 to 10 feet, and blooms early in the spring. An old-fashioned shrub, with sturdy oak-like habit, good foliage, especially useful for screens and masses. Profusion of lovely white flowers in May and June, followed by translucent berries.



Hydrangea Paniculata Grandiflora



### Hydrangea Arborescens Grandiflora

The New Everblooming Hydrangea is, as its name implies, constantly in bloom from early in June until frost, and is one of the most important additions in the way of hardy shrubs ever introduced. All summer long it bears great clusters of white flowers, much like the tender Hydrangea in size and form; it will grow to perfection in partial shade, making it most valuable for massing under trees or growing on north side of house. Handsome bright green foliage.

### Lilacs (Syringa)

Best beloved of all the old-time garden shrubs, whose flowers never fail to charm with their delicate beauty or refresh with their tender fragrance.

**New Persian.** Blooms in early June. Flowers beautiful reddish purple, very fragrant and borne in profusion; leaves rich, dark green, rather small and delicately shaded.

**White.** This rare and beautiful White Lilac is much sought after.

**Purple.** The old favorite. Price, in strong two-year-old plants only, 75 cts. each.

### Althea-Rose of Sharon

The flowers are brilliant and striking in color, 9 to 12 feet high when matured. Blooms during August and September.

**Alba Plena.** Large, double pure white.

**Blanche.** The nearest pure white of any.

**Double Purple.** Deep reddish purple.

**Peoniflora.** Double cherry red.

### Deutzia

Blooms in May or June.

**Crenata.** 4 to 6 feet; double white rose.

**Fortunei.** 4 to 6 feet; pure white.

**Gracilis.** 2 to 2½ feet. Drooping, white.

**Pride of Rochester.** Pure white, blush.

**Lemoninei.** New, immense. Purest white.

### Double Japan Snowball

**Viburnum Plicatum.** Blooms in early June, when the whole bush is loaded down with great, compact balls of pure white, double flowers. They are borne in such profusion that the entire plant appears one dense mass of bloom; the tree grows erect and bushy, 6 to 8 feet high, with deep green leaves peculiarly crimped and crinkled. Wondrously beautiful.

**Viburnum Opulus Sterilis** (*Old-fashioned Snowball*). A strong hardy grower; pure white flowers. A showy class of shrubs of compact growth, luxuriant foliage and very free flowering.

Price of all hardy shrubs on this page, except where otherwise noted: one-year-old size, 35 cts. each; any 3 for \$1.00; two-year-old size, 75 cts. each; \$7.50 dozen; three-year-old size, \$1.00 each; \$10.00 dozen, by freight or express at the purchaser's expense.





*Spirea Van Houtte*

## Hardy Climbing Vines

### *Clematis Paniculata*

The Most Wonderful of All Flowering Vines—Quick Grower, Exquisite Fragrance

The flowers are pure white and are borne in great panicles or clusters of bloom, fairly covering the plants, so that it is a mass or sheet of fleecy white with an exquisite fragrance. It begins to bloom late in August the first year. Hardy in all sections of the country. Strong plants in pots, 25 cts. each. Strong two-year-old field-grown plants, 50 cts. each. Heavy 3-year-old plants, 75 cts. each. New Coral Clematis, *Clematis Coccinea*. A handsome climber with a profusion of bright, coral-red flowers in constant bloom. Price, 50 cts. each.

### Large Flowering Hardy Clematis

Broad, flat flowers of exquisite hues, produced in great festoons of wondrous beauty.

**Jackmani.** Immense flowers, 4 to 5 inches across, of exquisite, deep royal purple.

**Henryi.** Large creamy white flowers of large size.

**Madame Edouard Andre.** Resembles Jackmani, except that its flowers are beautifully carmine-red.

We offer large, strong plants, \$1.00 each, postpaid.

### *Wistaria Magnifica*

The finest *Wistaria* of its color now known. Extremely vigorous growing 30 to 40 feet in one season when well established. The flowers are pale lilac, and the immense clusters of drooping racemes, which measure 12 to 18 inches in length, are deliciously fragrant. 25 cts. each; 5 for \$1.00.

**Wistaria Alba.** There is nothing more striking or appropriate for pergolas and ordinary trellises than this splendid vine. Pure white flowers. 25 cts. each; 5 for \$1.00.

### Mammoth Flowered Trumpet Creeper

**Bignonia Grandiflora.** One of the most superb climbing vines in existence. Grows with rapidity, is perfectly hardy everywhere. The flowers are trumpet-shaped and warm orange-red. Strong plants, 25 cts. each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid.

### Ampelopsis

**Veitchii (Boston or Japanese Ivy).** It covers buildings and walls with a perfect mat of dark green, leathery foliage, which changes to brilliant crimson as fall approaches. Clings to either tree or wood without support. Fine plants, 25 cts. each; \$2.50 a doz.; three-year-old plants, 3 feet in length, 75 cts. each, postpaid.

**English Ivy.** A splendid evergreen climber, with dark glossy green leaves; clings firmly to stone, brick or wood walls without trellis or support; very desirable. 25 cts. each; 5 for \$1.00.

**Cinnamon Vine.** A beautiful, hardy climbing vine, with heart-shaped leaves and delicate white blossoms. Good roots, 10 cts. each; 12 for \$1.00, postpaid.

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## HARDY SHRUBS—Continued

### Spirea-Meadow Sweet

**Aurea (Golden Leaved).** Bright golden yellow foliage, white flowers. **Billardi.** Spikes of rose-colored flowers; blooms profusely.

**Prunifolia (Bridal Wreath).** Double pure white flowers.

**Thunbergi.** Blooms in April; compact, fern-like leaves; flowers borne in clusters.

**Van Houtte.** The bushes form fine, compact clumps. The pure white flowers are borne in great masses.

**Perpetual Blooming Crimson Spirea, Anthony Waterer.** It makes a low compact bush. 15 to 18 inches high. Large umbels of deep crimson flowers.

### Weigela

**Candida.** Snow-white flowers; late June.

**Hender-oni.** 4 to 6 ft. Strong grower. Flowers light crimson.

**Floribunda.** 6 to 8 ft. Erect grower. Beautiful red flowers.

**Rosea.** Flowers are large and of a deep rose.

**Variegated Leaf.** Green leaves, pure white.

**Eva Rathke.** Rich reddish purple.

**Amabilia.** 4 to 6 ft. Deep rose colored flowers.

**Mad. Lemoine.** 4 to 6 ft. White flowers with delicate blush.

(Prices at bottom of page.)

### Hardy Ornamental Grass

For ornamental purposes these grasses are strikingly original in effect and impart a tropical brilliance to the landscape. The plumes which these grasses produce are beautiful for exterior decoration.

Prices of all *Eulalias* and *Erianthus* described below, 35 cts. each; 3 for \$1.00.

**Eulalia Gracillima Univittata.** Forms an exceedingly handsome plant. 4 to 5 feet high.

**E. Japonica Zebrina.** The leaf blades are of deep green, distinctly striped crosswise, with large bars of pure white.

**E. Japonica Variegata.** Blades are creamy white in the center, with a broad margin of bright green. Plumes are very beautiful.

**Erianthus Ravennae.** Reed-like ornamental grass throwing up 30 to 40 fine erect flower-like stalks 8 to 10 feet high in the first season. The plumes are highly valued as parlor ornaments.



*Weigela Rosea*



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## **Easy to Use—Immediate Results—Directions with Every Package**

This wonderful fertilizer and plant-food is odorless—has no obnoxious, messy characteristics. To use, simply insert a tablet in soil near each plant; or dissolve in water at the rate of four tablets per gallon and use as liquid manure. For plants in drills, put tablets a foot apart along row; in beds, a foot apart each way. Complete, easy directions with every package.

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